Weather Forecasts

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Lower Mainland—Southerly winds; unsettled, with rain and stationary or lower temperature.

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WHAT THE ELECTORS WANT TO KNOW

The Workingman's Idea

I have my little home, my children are properly clothed and well fed. My position is certain—at good wages. I am seldom idle. Every dollar that I have invested will give me two in return should I decide to sell my holdings. My country is the most prosperous in the world. My future is assured beyond any doubt providing we stand together as Loyal Britons. With these facts in mind, why should we attempt to lessen the ties that bind our Empire? Why should we be led astray by the advocates of Reciprocity—who are ready to sacrifice this Canada of ours for party politics. Why should we come to the rescue of the American people and in doing so give them the opportunity to take possession of our natural resources—and why should we by a closer trade pact be compelled to compete with the labor market of the United States? Why bring upon ourselves the distressing conditions experienced by skilled and ordinary labor in the country to the south of us? Why should we play a game of chance with America when we have a certainty at home? We are a contented and thriving people. Let us therefore strive to maintain those happy conditions which we can do on September 21. We should feel unhappy if our Canadian trade journals printed such news as the following:

Taken from the official journal of the Bricklayers, Masons and Plasterers International union of America, published at Indianapolis, Ind., August, 1911.

From Fresno, Cal. Positively no work to be had. Ten men to every one job. Pay no attention to advertisements in Eastern papers for either skilled or unskilled labor, as the town is flooded with idle workmen, and hundreds of them are hungry and dead broke with no sign of a job in sight. Per Fresno Labor Council.

NEW BEDFORD, Aug. 20.—Four of the large mills here, employing 2,800 operatives, shut down yesterday. The labor unions are distributing the largest sums in their history for the aid of men, women and children who have been working for many months on short time, or not working at all. There are colonies of wage-earners here whose average income is $5.50 a week. Some men are trying to support large families on $7 and $8 a week. Hundreds of weavers are going back to Lancashire, Eng.

The average weekly income of the mill workers in this city during 1910 was $5.69. The workers are strongly of the opinion that when the mills were prosperous and paying enormous dividends there was no sharing of profits among the employees, and they assert that a justifiable request for an increase of 10 per cent. in wages was refused, but not because it could not be afforded.

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 30.—Following a plan of retrenchment, railroads of the country in the last year have laid off 81,870 men effecting a net annual saving in the operating expenses of $94,000,000, according to a report made public here. The method of economy has been adopted by sixty per cent of all the roads and is rapidly spreading to the remaining lines.

The decrease in expenses and maintenance is said to be the result of the action of the interstate commerce commission which refused to allow the roads to put into effect an increase of freight rates. The largest reductions are found among the trackmen, shopmen and miscellaneous employees. The report containing these figures may, it is said, have an important bearing upon the widespread unrest in the ranks of the shopmen on the Harriman lines.

Mr. Templeman's Proposals

The following telegrams are self-explanatory:

Victoria, B. C., Sept. 9, 1911.
Hon. W. Pugsley,
St. John, N. B.

I propose issuing an address to the electors in which I will state that the government will make Victoria a port of first class by building breakwaters and deepening outer and inner harbors to adequate depth to accommodate all shipping. The cost, on Keefer's estimates, will be about $2,000,000 for breakwaters, and about $1,000,000 for deepening harbor, annual expenditure to be about $500,000. These proposed works have been approved of for years and the harbor work that has been carried out for the last eight years has been with the definite object of securing the results contemplated in above project. At the present rate of progress it will take twenty or thirty years to do what should be done in at the most three or four years. The opening of the Panama canal three years hence makes this work a national necessity. I will be pleased to have your approval of above.

WM. TEMPLEMAN.

Montreal, Que., Sept. 10, 1911.
Hon. Wm. Templeman,
Victoria, B. C.

Your telegram of the ninth instant, re harbor improvements, Victoria, received. When I was in your city I looked thoroughly into the situation and was impressed with the urgent necessity of the improvements now recommended by you, and will heartily endorse your proposals as contained in said telegram.

WILLIAM PUGSLEY.

St. John, N. B., Sept. 12, 1911.
W. Templeman,
Victoria, B. C.

My wire was sent after I had seen Sir Wilfrid.

W. PUGSLEY.

We gladly publish from last night's Times the telegrams passing between the Hon. Wm. Templeman and the Hon. Wm. Pugsley. After reading Mr. Pugsley's wire the electors will take on a new lease of life—it is so clear that the simplest voter in the land can see through it—and understand. The Hon. Wm. Pugsley says:

"When I was in your city I looked thoroughly into the situation and was impressed with the urgent necessity of the improvements now recommended by you, and will heartily endorse your proposals as contained in said telegram."

Mr. Pugsley has seen Sir Wilfrid before sending the wire. This is good news but we have no wire from Sir Wilfrid saying that he will build the Brotchie Ledge breakwater, nor is the Hon. Wm. Pugsley or the Hon. Wm. Templeman in a position to guarantee the undertaking. It reminds us of Drury and the mint, Riley and the dredge and other election pledges, but we can with safety tell the electors of this constituency that the Hon. R. L. Borden will build the Brotchie Ledge breakwater and carry to completion such other work as may be necessary to make Victoria one of Canada's leading ports. Mr. Barnard has long since fully covered these points in his election manifesto—over his own signature and unless we are greatly mistaken he will be given an opportunity to show his supporters that he is capable of making good his promises. Nothing on earth can save the situation. The treacherous reciprocity pact is understood and as many prominent Liberals have said will wipe the Liberal party out of existence. If the Hon. Wm. Templeman were to pave our streets with gold it would not stop the wave that is spreading from the Atlantic to the Pacific against a government that has forgotten its people and is ready to hand us over body, bones and all, to a foreign nation without the slightest reason for doing so. We are doing first rate. Why experiment to our disadvantage, and suffer the wrongs of our neighbor? Without being too severe the hon. gentlemen's suggestions read like a funny story—in other words a joke.

Reciprocity and Wages.

Never in the history of Victoria have the workingmen taken a keener interest in an election and never have they made a closer study of the issues. During the first two weeks of the campaign they did not quite realize the full meaning of reciprocity. The supporters of the pact were endeavoring to lead them to believe that the cost of living was to be reduced from 10 to 20 per cent. This theory has been exploded by actual investigation on the part of the consumer. The cheap food cry is no longer a vote catcher. It has lost its power and the electors are alive to the fact that cheap food means a corresponding cheapness in wages. Seattle is the point from which the low prices quoted in the Victoria Times have been obtained and it has been proved beyond question that this same city, where everything is supposed to be so cheap, is overladen with unemployed men, who are able and ready to tackle any kind of work to earn a living, at wages that Victorians would not offer to a Chinese or Japanese laborer. A visit to Seattle would well repay organized labor, it would be a lesson never to be forgotten by those who are enjoying the great prosperity of our Dominion.

In Seattle many a poor chap goes day after day to the employment agencies and meets with the same answer: "No men wanted today." How many of our workingmen have at times, during their wanderings from place to place, had a like experience. Scarcely a man in Victoria, who calls himself a worker, can say that he has not been disappointed at some time during his life. It is painful to think of but nevertheless true. With such unprecedented prosperity, with such good wages, with an abundance of work and a full dinner pail, why should we encourage a reduction in wages or make it possible to introduce the half loaf?

The Hon. Wm. Templeman and the government he represents have miserably failed to produce one argument in defence of reciprocity, a measure that is positively wicked and destructive to the best interests of the country we live in, and more sepecially to the workingman.

The hon. gentleman will never be able to explain to the electors his government's treachery in allowing alien labor to come to Canada when over 700 men ready to work were idle in Vancouver.

Canada's Destiny

"Never before in the history of the Empire has Canada loomed so large in the eyes of Britons as it does now. Never has so general and so intelligent an interest in her affairs been made more plainly manifest. It seems to me that with the very large number of prominent Canadians at the coronation and the prominence that Canadian interests have latterly assumed in the Old Land, our importance as a factor in the Empire was never before so strongly accentuated. The people of the Motherland realize that while they are wealthier than we and have more to show in established civilization for their greater age and consequent perfected maturity, yet in natural resources and all the true potentialities of strong nationhood, Canada presents the evidence that it must some day become the dominant factor in the Greater British Empire. And in the working out of this great destiny, we do not want to disappoint our kinsfolk of the Motherland. We want to send them a message on the 21st of September that they will understand as clear and unmistakable—that we are as Canadians still firm and strong for the Empire, that we are going to keep on our flag the good old Union Jack, that we are determined to preserve our heritage for that great future that nature has mapped out for it."—Premier McBride.

RAPID SPREAD OF REBELLION

Chinese Government Orders Large Force of Troops Sent by Quickest Route to Szechuen Province

FOUR WEEKS NEEDED TO MAKE JOURNEY

Belief that Food is Already Scarce in Cheng Tu—Canadian Missionaries from Lu Chow Safe

PEKIN, Sept. 14.—Unpublished edicts order a large force of Wu Chang troops to leave immediately by the quickest route for Szechuen, and Tuan Fang, director of the Hankow-Szechuen railway, is expected at Ichang tomorrow to hasten the movement of the troop trains.

The arrested ringleaders of the rebellion include the president and vice-president of the Szechuen provincial assembly. The latter was arrested at Hankow, whither it is believed he had journeyed with the intention of fomenting an agitation in Hupeh province.

The situation generally is regarded as serious; nevertheless the unreliability of Chinese reports, which are now the main source of information, necessitates a suspension of judgment until more complete information is obtainable.

The relief force from Wu Chang will take four weeks at least to reach Cheng Tu, and the full gravity of the situation in the capital of Szechuen province is now realized.

Rebellion Gaining Ground.

CHUN KING, Sept. 14.—The revolution is fast gaining ground. It is believed that no food has entered Cheng Tu for many days, and probably already the besieged are on short rations. Heavy firing is reported from that quarter between the loyal garrison and rebels, among whom there are probably many soldiers.

Among the missionaries who have arrived here in safety are the Canadians stationed at Lu Chow, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. P. Jolliffe, Mr. and Mrs. U. D. Ferguson and E. R. Brecken.

Lu Chow, or Lu Chau, is about 150 miles to the southeast of Cheng Tu.

NOMINATIONS IN VICTORIA CITY

Official Papers Handed in to Returning Officer — Three Candidates in Field to Contest Constituency

George H. Barnard, Conservative.
William Templeman, Liberal.
Gordon Brown, Socialist.

The above named gentlemen were yesterday duly placed in nomination for the constituency of Victoria City in the present federal election campaign. Mr. A. M. Bannerman, the returning officer, receiving the necessary papers in the matter at the police court rooms beween the hours of 12 noon and 2 p. m.

The proceedings were devoid of anything of a spectacular character, indeed, the whole ceremony, if the word may be used, was of the most prosaic kind. The returning officer with an assistant simply waited in the court room and got from the agents of the candidate the official papers.

Mr. G. H. Barnard

Mr. Barnard's papers bore the following signatures:

J. H. Lawson, W. A. Gleason, Richard McBride, E. G. Prior, H. G. Nilson, A. E. McPhillips, R. F. Green, William Clack, John Dean, H. F. Bishop, John Dilworth, Hugh Macdonald, Leonard Tait, G. A. Kirk, Henry F. W. Behnsen, Fred Davey, Henry B. Thomson, H. M. Fullerton, Thomas Shotbolt, D. R. Ker, W. Blakemore, Wm. C. Moresby, W. J. Mable, William Crow, A. J. Stanley Ard, Wm. Murray, Jas. Willett, H. W. R. Moore, W. E. Staneland, J. B. H. Rickaby, Dr. R. Ford Verrinder, A. G. Sargison, J. Musgrave, Lindley Crease, J. L. Beckwith, H. M. Grahame, W. H. Bone, Thomas Catterall, R. E. Brett, Henry Carleton Hannington, Geo. H. Maynard, T. J. Popham, Robert Lowe, James Forman, Sydney Child, A. F. Luxton, E. B. Jones, C. B. Thomas, Chas. Hayward, W. Luney, H. Dallas Helmcken, W. H. P. Sweeney, H. H. Woollison, C. B. Deaville, R. W. Perry, C. S. Baxter, David McIntosh, J. T. Redding, A. Wilson Clark, G. Sheldon-Williams, J. H. Austin, William [illegible] Roberts, Sterling Maynard Maysmith, Cecil Kane Courtney, Frederick [illegible] Nivin, Charles Abraham Gregg, Percy Ralph Fleming, Thomas Bennett, John Charles Walker, Horatio Alfred [illegible], Gordon B. [illegible]dick, Frank Edwin Coley, F. B. Pemberton, Russell James Macaulay, W. C. [illegible]

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"AROUND THE CIRCLE"

President Taft to Start Today on His Long Tour—Probable Subjects of Addresses

BEVERLY, Mass., Sept. 14.—President Taft leaves Beverly tomorrow on his second swing "around the circle." In the opinion of his friends, the trip promises to be one of the most important ever undertaken by a chief executive.

He himself has said he will indulge in but little political discussion, but it is admitted that opportunity for such discussion probably will be thrust upon him. That he will accept the gage of battle if some "Hector" in one of his audiences throws it on the platform, is hardly doubted.

On the list for the present journey the president has set down the "tariff" and the "tariff board" as two subjects for his addresses. His vetoes of the wool bill, of the cotton bill and of the farmers' free list bill have not been set aside for separate speeches, but that they will be dealt with in the two general addresses is highly probable.

The tariff may prove, after all, the leading topic, although that is not the president's plan. Other subjects include reciprocity, conservation, the peace treaties, marriage and divorce, the trust problem, financial reform, the Panama canal, reform in judicial procedure, Alaska and the government departments.

The president contemplates spending most of his speaking hours in talking of the less political subjects.

The "swing" beginning tomorrow will be about 13,000 miles in length. Twenty-four states will be visited, and in 18 the president will speak. The trip begins in Boston tomorrow night. Syracuse, N.Y., is the first stop. Washington will see the windup on Nov. 1. Secretary C. D. Hilles, Major A. W. Butt, Dr. Thomas L. Rhoades, the president's physician; two stenographers, three secret service men and nine newspaper reporters will accompany the president.

YOUNG AUSTRALIANS

Party of Forty-five from Antipodes Arrives in San Francisco to Make Tour of States

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 14.—Forty-five boys of the Young Australian league, under command of Lieutenant J. J. Simmons, arrived here today on the steamer Maitai for an educational and pleasure tour of the United States. They were welcomed at the wharf by Mayor McCarthy and other city officials, the Columbia Park Boys' club, which made a tour of Australia a year ago, and more than 1,000 boys from the various schools of the city, including uniformed Chinese and Japanese youths.

After a parade through the principal streets, camp was pitched by the visitors on the grounds of the Columbia Park club.

During their stay in this city the young Australians will be entertained by civic organizations and the Chinese chamber of commerce.

The presentation of a bear flag by the Native Sons and Daughters of the Golden West will be an event of their visit.

The boys will give several vaudeville entertainments, besides playing baseball and other games with local teams.

Denial from Premier

QUEBEC, Sept. 14.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier tonight denied the report from Oklahoma city that Senator Thomas P. Gore of Oklahoma was coming to Canada at his invitation to aid the premier in his reciprocity campaign.

ONE ELECTED BY ACCLAMATION

Mr. German, of Welland, Liberal Who Opposes Reciprocity, Only Candidate to be Returned Unopposed

UNFAIR ATTEMPTS TO GAIN ADVANTAGE

Election in Thunder Bay and Rainy River District Deferred—Breach of Postal Law in Winnipeg

OTTAWA, Sept. 14.—One member has already been elected to Canada's 12th parliament. He is W. M. German, K.C., of Welland, Ont. So far as is known tonight, Welland is the only riding in Canada in which there is an election by acclamation. In all of the remaining 220 constituencies a contest has been assured by the official nominations, most of which took place today.

The nominations, which definitely fix the party lines for the election to be held a week from today, produced no surprises. Two Liberals, Hodgins and Cahill, stay in the field in Pontiac, thus insuring the election of Gerald Brabazon, Conservative. In Richelieu, however, Adelard Lanctot has yielded to the ministerial pressure and has withdrawn from the fight after a heart-to-heart talk with the minister of marine. Just what Lanctot gets out of his withdrawal is not known, but the inducements appear to have been sufficient.

Three cabinet ministers were nominated in two ridings each in Quebec, Sir Wilfrid in Quebec East and Soulanges; Hon. R. Lemieux in Gaspe and Rouville and, Hon. Dr. Beland in Beauce and Montmagny.

The last significant announcement of nomination day comes from Port Arthur to the effect that the election in Thunder Bay and Rainy River is postponed. In this riding K. J. Carrick has the notorious Jim Conmee beaten to a standstill, and the Liberal action in deferring the election with the object of loading the dice against the Conservative candidate has aroused a storm of indignation in the riding. Mr. Carrick offered to put his whole organization at the disposal of the returning officer to enable him to carry out the necessary preparation, and a local paper offered to print the voters' lists free. In the face of these things the returning officer says the time is too short to comply with the regulations.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier is bringing his campaign to a close with somewhat stormy meetings in Quebec. At Montmagny, the home of Armand Lavergne, he had a bad time, being repeatedly interrupted.

R. L. Borden's reception in Nova Scotia contrasts strongly with that of Sir Wilfrid in Quebec. The Conservative leader finds his halls too small for the crowds who want to hear him.

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Conservatives

Who have not looked up the voters' list should attend at once to it, so that they may know whether they can vote and which Polling Booth they can vote in on Election Day.

All information will be cheerfully given at the CONSERVATIVE ROOMS, BROAD STREET, any time between 9 a. m. and 10 p. m. daily.

Members of all Ward Committees and Workers will Meet this Evening

At 8 p. m. in Broad Street Hall, Broad Street.

Any Conservative willing to assist will be given a hearty welcome.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

VICTORIAN INJURED

Mr. Edward Musgrave Had His Hand Crushed in Ramona Wreck—Rescued People Are at Seattle.

SEATTLE, Sept. 14.—Bringing 22 passengers and 40 members of the crew, the survivors of the wreck of the steamship Ramona, the Pacific Coast steamship Northwestern arrived in port tonight from southwestern Alaska. All the survivors are in good health and fine spirits with the exception of Edward Musgrave of Victoria, B. C., and C. Anjale of Seattle, who were injured in the rush for the lifeboats when the Ramona struck on Spanish Island last Sunday night. Mr. Musgrave's hand was crushed, and Anjale suffered severe bruises on the arm. Both were taken to a hospital here.

The passengers of the wrecked vessel give great praise to Captain Taafe of the Ramona and his officers and crew for the masterly manner in which they handled the situation after the steamship struck. With only a few minutes between the striking of the Ramona and her final settling to the bottom, the captain managed to prevent confusion and to get everyone safely in the lifeboats.

Special praise is given First Mate Equist of the Ramona, who set out in a lifeboat and managed to attract the attention of the fishing steamer Grant, which had heard the last flashes of the Ramona's wireless and was looking for the wreck. His action cut down, it is estimated, by several hours the time the castaways had to spend on the bleak shores of Spanish Island.

The Grant soon got in touch with the Northwestern, which took from the fishing vessel the wreck victims, already removed from the island.

There is still in the wreck $150,000 in gold bullion and a salmon cargo valued at $65,000, besides the passengers' baggage. Divers are on the way north to attempt salvage.

Yield of Wheat in Canada

OTTAWA, Sept. 14.—The Canadian crop and statistics department estimates the average yield of spring wheat in Canada at 19.14 bushels an acre, seven bushels more than last year. The total wheat yield is estimated at 204,634,000 bushels, of which 186,928,000 bushels is spring wheat. The yield of oats is given as 348,162,000 bushels, an increase over last year of $4,904,000 bushels.

Farmers' Bank Arrest

VANCOUVER, Sept. 14.—Mr. Clarke H. Smith, a member of a financial firm here, was arrested by the police tonight in connection with the failure of the Farmers' Bank in Ontario. Mr. Smith will be taken east at once. The Farmers' Bank failed last year and the manager was sent to prison while Dr. Nesbitt, one of the directors, escaped to the United States.

HIS DEATHBED REPENTANCE

Mr. G. H. Barnard Deals with Eve-of-Election Proposals Advanced by Hon. W. Templeman

The electors of Victoria West, assembled in goodly number last evening, spoke in no uncertain voice in favor of the Conservative candidate, Mr. G. H. Barnard, and against reciprocity at a meeting in Semple's hall. Despite the inclement weather there was a good attendance and in the audience were a number of ladies, who were much interested in the proceedings.

Ald. G. A. Okell occupied the chair and in opening the meeting made the interesting announcement that for the first time in his career he was taking part in a federal campaign, that he was opposed to reciprocity and would support Mr. Barnard. Present with him on the platform were Messrs. Leonard Tait, H. D. Helmcken, K.C., John Jardine, M.P.P., John Dean, D. H. Macdowall and H. W. R. Moore, besides the candidate, Mr. Barnard. There were brief but excellent speeches from Mr. Dean, Mr. Tait and Mr. Moore, and Mr. Barnard got an ovation as he punctured the latest attempt of the Hon. Mr. Templeman to stampede the electors in his favor with a belated pre-election proposal for a breakwater off Brotchie Ledge.

Mr. Barnard began by saying that while he had attended many meetings in Victoria West he had never been present at a better one. He reminded his hearers that Mr. Templeman at the nominating convention had said that reciprocity was to be the only issue, but he observed that his opponent in his organ had that night injected something else into the arena.

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Mr. Barnard then read portions of the announcement of the proposed extensive improvements of the harbor, which Mr. Templeman [illegible]

M. STOLYPIN BADLY WOUNDED

Lawyer in Kiev Fires Two Shots at Russian Premier While Witnessing Performance in Theatre

WOUND SUPPOSED TO BE MORTAL

Attempt is Third to be Made on Premier's Life—Well Aware that He was Constantly in Danger

KIEV, Sept. 14.—The Russian premier, R. A. Stolypin, was attacked while attending a gala performance at the opera tonight. He was wounded twice by his assailant. One bullet entered his hand, while the other penetrated the body, grazing the liver and lodging in the spine.

It is reported that the premier's wounds are mortal.

Emperor Nicholas was present in the theatre at the time. The premier's assailant was arrested.

The two bullets were fired from behind by a lawyer named Bagrof. The audience tried to lynch the assassin. Some reports have it that a musician also was wounded.

The minister of finance, M. Kokovsoff, was sitting behind the premier at the time of the attack.

Third Attempt on His Life

This is not the first attempt made against the life of Premier Stolypin. When he was governor of Saratov in 1905, three shots were fired at him, but without effect. On August 25, 1906, a bomb was thrown while Stolypin, then premier, was holding a public reception at his country house. The premier was slightly wounded. Thirty-two persons were killed and a still larger number wounded. Among the latter were the premier's 15-year-old daughter and his three-year-old son.

At that time there was a reign of terror in many parts of Russia.

When Stolypin accepted the premiership in July, 1906, he was well aware of his danger. He remarked at the time: "I have no doubt that attempts will be made upon my life, but I hope that order will be restored and stability established in Russia before they are successful."

As Stolypin outlined the policy of the government, it was to be one of strong-handed reform. He promptly issued circulars to the provincial authorities, directing them to spare no efforts to prevent disturbances. As minister of the interior, prior to becoming premier, he was assailed in the Duma in making his first speech with cries of "murderer," and "assassin," when he defended the alleged illegal acts of police officials and provincial governors in the suppression of disorders.

The retaliatory steps, which were taken against the terrorists and liberals alike, won him the detestation of advanced parties and the support of the reactionary parties.

"Stolypin's necktie" became the synonym for the hangman's noose throughout Russia. He quarrelled frequently with the Duma, and was victorious in his disputes with that body owing to the confidence which the emperor reposed in him.

Stolypin resigned as premier and minister of the interior on March 20 of this year, but three days later re-considered his action. The resignation was presented because the council of the empire rejected his Zemstvo bill, and it was announced that the emperor had accepted it, appointing M. Kokovsoff, minister of finance, to fill the premiership. Later, however, it was learned that the emperor had used his personal influence to retain Stolypin in office.

Reception by Emperor

Emperor Nicholas today received the deputations from the western Zemstovo who were elected under the Stolypin law and are generally composed of government adherents. The emperor wished them success and invoked the divine aid in their labors.

Similar care to avoid partisanship was exercised at a reception to the nobility, where there was a brilliant gathering of Polish magnates, headed by Prince Sanguszko and Prince Radziwill. His Majesty's attitude quickly indicated the line of court appointments by which Premier Stolypin's supporters will be advanced to high posts in court. At the unveiling of the monument of Alexander II. the [illegible]

SELLING-OUT SALE

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GET CAPITAL FROM BRITAIN

Idea Presented by One of Party of British Journalists Now Touring Province—Canada's Good Position

NELSON, B. C., Sept. 14.—Wilfrid J. Hinton, of the Western Mail, of Cardiff, and John Roberts of the North Wales Times, two of the party of touring British journalists, were the guests of the Nelson Canadian club today. This morning they were taken to the power plant at Bonnington and to the Granite Poorman mill. At noon they were entertained by the Canadian club and then they visited the city factories. In the afternoon they were taken by launch up the west arm, where stops were made at various ranches. Dinner was taken at the new tourist hotel at Balfour and then they returned to Nelson.

"I believe that Canada can become a perfect economic unit, and will be able to supply all that she needs, economically within her own borders," said Mr. Hinton at the Canadian club luncheon. There were, however, some problems that Canadians had to solve. The first was that of capital.

"I think that you should get that from Great Britain," declared the speaker, who then asked, "wouldn't you rather have it from Great Britain than from the United States?" He saw splendid opportunities in the Kootenay for the advantageous investment of capital, and he proposed to tell the people of England of this.

Another problem which had to be solved in Canada was that of labor, said Mr. Hinton. The chief of the many requisites necessary to achieve this end was that those who represented labor in making agreements and in other respects should be supported by the men for whom they spoke. In the old country it had too frequently happened that the agreements made by the labor leaders had been broken by the men.

Mr. Roberts and Mr. Hinton leave in the morning for East Kootenay.

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and overflow meetings are found necessary.

Mr. Sifton's Prediction

KINGSTON, Ont., Sept. 14.—Hon. Clifford Sifton, who arrived here this afternoon predicts the downfall of the Laurier government. In an interview he said as the result of many observations during this campaign the fact is more pressed home on him that the Conservatives will be returned to power and that the Laurier government will be defeated. This is the first public statement of the kind that he has ever made, and he does so because he has faith in what is going on in the country. The Conservative campaign will be one of victory. They will make considerable gains in Ontario, the maritime provinces and in Quebec, and they will hold their own in the west.

Ontario Candidates

TORONTO, Sept. 14.—The nominations, which were held throughout Ontario brought few if any surprises, the regular nominees of the respective parties being placed in the field. In South Toronto, Mr. D. C. Hossack, who is a strong opponent of reciprocity and a supporter of the policy enunciated by Mr. R. L. Borden, retired from the contest. He declared that rather than run the chance of allowing the supporter of the Laurier government to attain victory he was prepared to efface himself. He expressed the hope that every riding in the city would return a supporter of Mr. Borden and that the majority in the Dominion house would be so large as forever to put an end to the present truckling to Washington.

In West Hamilton, a labor man entered the list in the person of Mr. Hiram Dickout, a railway man, and a strong opponent of reciprocity.

In Ontario nine members of the provincial legislature are running as candidates in the present election, eight Conservatives and one Liberal, in the person of R. E. Truax, who is running in South Bruce. Colonel Hugh Clark, member for Centre Bruce, resigned to run in North Bruce against John Tolmie. In North Brant, J. H. Fisher resigned to be the Conservative candidate against the Hon. William Paterson. Gordon Willison stepped out of North Wentworth at the bidding of the agricultural and fruit growing interests to oppose W. O. Sealey, who voted for reciprocity. A. E. Fripp is the English-speaking Conservative candidate in Ottawa against Hal B. McGivern. J. J. Carrick, of Port Arthur, came from England at the request of his friends to fight James Conmee in Thunder Bay.

Juggling With Voters' Lists

CALGARY, Alb., Sept. 14.—The voters' lists for this constituency were posted for the first time last night, although the Liberals have had the use of them for weeks. With a friend holding a light so that he could see the names, Joe Nestler was reading the list when suddenly three men swooped down on him, beat him up and dragged him off to the Liberal committee rooms, where he was locked up and detained several hours. A warrant has been issued for his assailants, and they will answer to a charge of assault in the police court.

It should be explained that there are no printed voters' lists in Alberta, and the only lists available for the Conservatives are typewritten ones posted up in public places. It is the pleasant custom of the grits to tear these down as soon as the law has been satisfied by posting them up, and it was resentment at the fact that the Conservatives dared to look at the list which caused the assault on Nestler.

Leaves Liberal Party

MOOSOMIN, Sask., Sept. 14.—Over 500 people assembled in the opera house to listen to an address by Hon. Mr. Haultain, leader of the opposition in the Saskatchewan house, upon the reciprocity pact. Mr. Haultain is accompanied by Fred Bell of Sintaluta, a lifelong Liberal, who is strongly opposing the pact and is stumping Qu'Appelle in the interest of R. S. Lake. Captain Price, president of the Conservative association, was the chairman and called upon Mr. Bell, who, in a short speech, gave his reasons for deserting his party and opposing reciprocity in no uncertain manner.

Breach of Postal Law

WINNIPEG, Man., Sept. 14.—In large manila envelopes there are being distributed about Winnipeg through the Dominion post office carriers, circulars printed by the Liberal managers for campaign purposes to influence votes for the Liberal party. These envelopes bear the printed address "To the Householder," no name and no address or street number appearing. In other words, the postal service is made to do duty in this campaign for the Liberal party. This is a distinct and flagrant violation of the postal regulations, which forbid the delivery of mail matter to any person whose actual address is not specified on the matter posted.

The Dominion postal service is supported by the money of taxpayers of all political beliefs. To make it a medium for the distribution of Liberal party campaign circulars is to prostitute its ends. It is a violation of the plain provisions of the postal laws. It is also another evidence of the straits in which the Liberal party in Winnipeg finds itself.

Mr. Bourassa Howled Down

COTEAU LANDING, Que., Sept. 14.—Probably for the first time in his political career, and certainly for the first time since he started out on his present Nationalist campaign, Henri Bourassa was howled down by a large crowd at a political meeting held here today. The meeting followed the official nomination of Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Dr. Lortie as candidates in Soulanges county.

It was distinctly a representative meeting, both sides having many supporters in the audience of nearly 2000 people. Mr. Bourassa had one fairly successful hearing, out on rising again to argue in rebuttal against the attacks of Mr. Mousseau, the provincial member, who had bitterly assailed the Nationalist chief, he found the majority turned strongly against him.

Leaning over the platfrom he again and again demanded a hearing to the reply to bitter accusations of Mousseau but his caustic wit for once failed to quell the Liberal section of the crowd, and he was at last compelled to cease his attempts amidst a chorus of cries of derision and support coming from the rival factions.

MEETING AT NELSON

Addresses by Premier McBride, Hon. W. R. Ross and Candidate Goodeve—Much Enthusiasm.

NELSON, Sept. 14.—The largest and most enthusiastic meeting in the history of Nelson was held last night when Mr. A. S. Goodeve, Conservative candidate, Premier McBride and Hon. W. R. Ross addressed an audience that completely filled the Opera House and overflowed through the doors. The chair was taken by Mr. J. A. Irving, president of the Conservative Association. Little Queenie Annable presented the Premier with a boquet and received in return a kiss.

Mr. Ross dwelt on the action of the Dominion government by which laborers had been admitted into the province in defiance of the immigration law.

Mr. Goodeve dealt at length with the reciprocity pact, and quoted from resolutions of the Liberal convention held at Nelson in opposition to the terms of the present agreement.

Premier McBride, in the course of his speech, referred to the Asiatic labor question, in regard to which he claimed the Ottawa government had shown callous indifference to the interests of British Columbia.

Robbers Foiled

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 14.—When three robbers entered the Goldsmith club, a local room on the waterfront, tonight, John Thomas, one of the proprietors, threw out of the window a sack containing $1700 in gold. The sack was caught up by an unidentified Italian who started to run with it, but was captured by Walter Schlessinger, a special policeman. Schlessinger returned to the club with the sack in time to meet the robbers emerging, and caught one who gave the name of James Williams. Edward Wilson, the other proprietor of the club, chased the other two robbers until they turned upon him and threatened to shoot him. Both escaped. Williams, after arrest, said he was a resident of New York. Asked concerning the possession of a large revolver, he said "a man came past and asked me to hold it for him."

RIVER OF LAVA

Outflow from Etna Sweeping All Before It On Hillside—Peasants Pray for Relief

CATANIA, Sicily, Sept. 14.—The river of lava from Mount Etna is still advancing, sweeping all before it. Thousands of people have been driven from their homes. Hoping to arrest the flaming lava, the peasants have erected before their vineyards and homes a cross of sticks and placed on top pictures of the Madonna and of the saints, but these barriers of faith have not checked the flow.

Crowds of peasants gathered to kneel and beat their breasts, calling for mercy and declaring that this must be a punishment for their sins. Monsignor Arista, bishop of Acireale, has gone to the front to encourage the faithful to conduct services.

The house of Giuseppe Rampolla, a relative of Cardinal Rampolla, has been overwhelmed by lava, which is expected soon to enter the Alcantara river. Thousands of years ago, the lava from Mount Etna swept into the same river, the bed of which is now sixty feet deep.

The entire crest of Etna has been changed by the present eruption.

B. C. CANDIDATES

Nominations Made as Expected in Nanaimo, Vancouver and New Westminster Districts

NANAIMO, Sept. 14.—Nominations for Nanaimo electoral district were held in the city today. The candidates nominated were Mr. F. H. Shepherd, Conservative, and Mr. R. Smith, Liberal.

VANCOUVER, Sept. 14.—Punctually at 2 o'clock this afternoon, Mr. Frank Burnett, sr., declared nominations closed for the constituency of Vancouver in the federal elections on Thursday next. The hours of polling will be 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. Nominations were filed between noon and 2 o'clock. Very little interest was shown and Mr. Burnett for the greater part of the two hours stood in splendid isolation in the spacious city council chamber. There was no eleventh hour candidate, and the electors will therefore decide next Thursday which of the trio—Alderman H. H. Stevens, Conservative; Mr. J. H. Senkler, Liberal, and Mr. E. T. Kingsley, Socialist—will represent them at Ottawa.

NEW WESTMINSTER, Sept. 14.—Nominations for candidates for the federal house were made today, Mr. J. D. Taylor and Mr. John Oliver being nominated respectively by the Conservatives and Liberals. No incident marked the nominations..

UNCERTAINTY IN MAINE

Official Canvass of Vote by Governor and Council Necessary to Determine Result

PORTLAND, Me., Sept. 14.—An apparent majority of 134 votes for repeal of the liquor prohibitory amendment of the Maine constitution was announced in an official statement issued tonight by Secretary of State Davis. The secretary's report is based on signed returns from town clerks.

While certain discrepanciese that indicate errors by town officials in returning the vote are not taken into account in the secretary's report, these discrepancies are declared by leaders of the anti-repeal side to be sufficient to change the result to a "dry" majority.

Only the canvass of the vote by the governor and council can adjust any discrepancies that may exist. Press returns compiled in this city indicate tonight a "dry" majority of 356, taking into account the alleged discrepancies in town clerk reports.

CROSSING CONTINENT

Aviator Ward Reaches Pennsylvania Border in Flight From East—Fowler at Colfax, Cal.

SUSQUEHANNA, Pa., Sept. 14—James J. Ward of Chicago, flying from New York to San Francisco, reached Callicoon, N. Y., a few miles from here, at 4:35 o'clock this afternoon. He left New York City yesterday morning. On his final flight today he covered 59 1-10 miles in 57 minutes, having left Middletown, N. Y. at 3:38 o'clock. His total distance covered so far is 138 miles.

Ward will resume his journey early tomorrow. His first stopping place tomorrow, he said, would be Oswego, N. Y., which is about 90 miles away. He expects to pass over Binghamton at midday. Ward started from Paterson, N. J., this morning and was in the air only a minute when he had to come down on account of engine trouble. At 9:30 he took the air again and flew 20 miles to Sloatsburg, N. Y., coming down at 9:46 to get his bearings.

He went up again, but after a few miles had to come to earth near Middleton, N. Y., to fix his engines. After lunching he went on to Callicoon.

Ward said that aside from engine trouble he had had no adverse experiences.

COLFAX, Cal., Sept. 14.—Several castings, some woodwork, and a number of slips necessary for the rebuilding of the air ship in which Bob Fowler is attempting to make the trip across the continent were rushed to completion today. With these castings in place it is expected that a trial flight may be possible late tomorrow.

Fifty Years Ago Today

(From The Colonist of September 15, 1861.)

Burglars in this country appear to have as little respect for temples of Thespis and the property of artistes as they have for dwellings and the "icktas" of common folk. On Saturday night or Sunday morning before daylight, some villain or villains entered the rear of the Victoria theatre by unhooking a pair of large doors and breaking a pane of glass in a window, visited the dressing room of W. E. Burton, the actor, and abstracted about $60 worth of clothing and wardrobe, among which was an elegant suit of Sunday clothes. The scamps helped themselves to the most valuable articles, and left the balance lying around loose to be picked up in the morning by the disconsolate owner. The perpetrators are supposed to be Indians—as usual. The villains who would rob an actor deserve to be execrated.

Mr. Howard, of Esquimalt, has matched his horse "Black John" against Mr. [illegible] horse "Soda Water," single dash of a mile, for $200 a side. The race to take place over the Beacon Hill course on Monday, 30th inst., between the hours of two and four o'clock p. m.

The House of Assembly will meet again today at the usual hour, when the bill to amend the procedure in civil cases, the Criminal Bill and Incorporation Bill, will be taken up.

The steamer Caledonia arrived early yesterday morning from New Westminster with 75 passengers and about $15,000 in gold dust. The news from Cariboo is of the same encouraging nature as that published by us last week.

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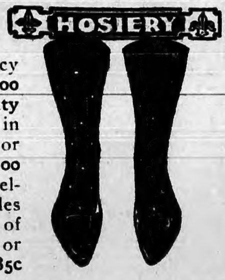

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Ralston's or Baker's Cocoa, tin	35c
Fry's Homeopathic Cocoa, tin, 25c; 3 packets	25c
Huyler's Chocolate Powder, tin	35c
Ghiradelli's Chocolate Powder, tin, 40c or	25c
Cowan's and Lowney's Unsweetened Chocolate, cake	25c
Chocolate Menier, cake	25c
Beaver Chocolate, 1 lb. package	25c
Eagle Chocolate, 1 lb.	35c
Cowan's Eagle Chocolate, cake	25c
Loose Cocoa, lb.	35c
C. & B. Soups, assorted dozen, $4.00; tin	35c
Braud & Co's Soups, Ox Tail and Mock Turtle, dozen, $4.00; tin	35c
C. & B. Soups, per glass jar	65c
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Trial Shipments of Frozen Article for British Columbia and Prairies—State of Victoria Prosperous

MELBOURNE, Sept. 14.—Arrangements have been made at Taranki in New Zealand to send trial shipments of frozen meats to the prairies and to British Columbia. It is hoped in New Zealand that profitable market will be developed.

Dr. Mawson, the Antarctic scientist, has been granted $100,000 by the labor government of New South Wales towards the expenses of the proposed expedition to the South Polar regions. Several wealthy citizens have added $20,000 and the federal government will contribute $25,000 additional.

The budget speech of the finance minister of the state of Victoria shows a record revenue for the fiscal year. It is anticipated that several new state railways will be constructed and that a number of lines will be electrified. Large expenditures on main roads is promised.

HIS DEATHBED REPENTANCE

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Mr. Templeman to say, but it was permissible to discuss those reasons from the public platform and he could say that one of the reasons why Victoria had not advanced to the position which was her due was that for fifteen years she had been subjected to the systematic neglect of the government of which his opponent was a member. (Applause).

Let them compare the treatment which had been meted out to Victoria with that which had been given the ports on the Atlantic seaboard. Why, Mr. Pugsley, who had sent that telegram of endorsement to Mr. Templeman, was spending no less than $16,000,000 on harbor improvements at the maritime coast cities, and it was not a case of proposals—he was calling for the contracts. And since the year 1896 there had been expended at the port of St. John no less than the sum of $2,000,000 and the same was to be said as to the expenditure at Halifax.

Conrast this policy, said the speaker, with the treatment which has been given Victoria, which had only got the services of the Mudlark and King Edward dredges on occasions when there was need of deepening the channel in front of the wharf of some good supporter or when there was an election in progress and there was need of having the dredges here for the accommodation of the voters on them—or when "Riley and the dredge" was an issue. (Applause). If Victoria had not reached the stage of development as a port which was her due it was because of the fact that Hon. Mr. Templeman had been remiss in his duty. (Loud applause).

On the Eve of Election

Continuing, Mr. Barnard quoted the article from the pen of Mr. Templeman, in which that gentleman said the project did not originate with him. He could well believe that, as few would charge Mr. Templeman with having ever originated anything of importance. It was well known that the very project which Mr. Templeman now put forward had been advocated for many years by the board of trade and other public bodies. "The minister must know that our tonnage was double that of the cities in the maritime provinces, but he waits until the fear of the Lord has been put into him on the eve of an election before he gets busy and secures Mr. Pugsley's endorsation of this proposal." (Laughter and applause).

Mr. Barnard then read Mr. Pugsley's telegram to Mr. Templeman, adding that when the minister of public works was here two years ago he (Mr. Barnard) had been out with him inspecting the outer harbor and Mr. Pugsley had said on that occasion: "Well, if you can show me that the improvement is needed there will be no question about the money."

"Now, did Mr. Templeman take the earliest opportunity of impressing upon his colleagues the urgency of the work? No; he waited until the eve of the election when he saw he must do something to save himself from defeat and he then issued a call for help to his friend Mr. Pugsley."

Mr. Barnard added, amidst applause, that he felt he had at any rate accomplished something in that he had at last made the Hon. Mr. Templeman get a move on in the interests of Victoria.

The Conservative candidate next dealt with the naval question, explaining the position of the Conservative party on that issue. He scored a hit with the audience by saying that if the representative in the cabinet from this province had been sincere in his desire to do what he could for British Columbia he would have used his best endeavors to have it stipulated that the ships of the navy which were to be stationed at Esquimalt would be built in British Columbia waters. It was clear to all thinking men that the navy such as it was, was being used simply for political purposes by the Laurier government—just as was reciprocity, but the government on this latter issue would, he was sure, miss a cog and go down to defeat on Thursday next. (Loud applause).

Alien Labor Act

Mr. Barnard next referred to the position of his opponent in regard to the recent infractions of the Alien Labor Act. It had been shown most conclusively that the relaxing order affecting the operation of the immigration laws had been enacted for the express purpose of permitting a violation of the Alien Labor Act. (applause). He had looked into the matter fully and he felt that Hon. Frank Oliver, Mr. Scott, Mr. Templeman and the immigration officials stationed on this coast, had been guilty of a criminal offence, as they had so acted as to let in men to this province who could only come in by breaking the Alien Labor law. He added that if it could have been established that there was a real shortage of labor in this province, the proper way for the government to deal with the matter was through the labor unions—going to them and making the proper presentations and pointing out the needs of the situation—otherwise the act should have been repealed. (applause). The laboring men of this province were to be trusted and he had the fullest confidence that they would have acted fairly in the matter.

Concluding, Mr. Barnard said that, shorn of all side issues, reciprocity was the main question in the campaign; and he felt assured that the people of Victoria, as indeed throughout the whole province, were going to show their approval of the good conditions which prevailed here today and were not going to be drawn aside from British connection and all that it implied by any eleventh hour proposals advanced by Mr. Templeman respecting harbor improvements. (loud applause).

Attempt to Stampede

Mr. Tait, in a brief but spirited address, dealt with but one question—and that was the latest attempt on the part of the opponent of Mr. Barnard to stampede the election in his own favor—referring to the announcement in Mr. Templeman's paper respecting harbor improvements. This he characterized as the most barefaced attempt at wholesale bribery which had ever come under his notice. (applause). Why had not Mr. Templeman one year ago adopted the same tactics? The need of harbor improvements was just as great then and Mr. Templeman knew it. "He knows he is beaten," declared the speaker amidst applause, and he added that had he (Mr. Tait) been in Mr. Templeman's position, he would have preferred to take his medicine and go down to defeat like a man on his record rather than go in for such a piece of obvious bribery.

Mr. Tait created great enthusiasm by announcing that after a personal canvass over a great part of the city, he was in a position to say that Mr. Barnard would, on Thursday, be elected by a rousing majority.

Mr. Dean dealt at length with the economic side of the reciprocity question, quoting facts and figures from the blue books in support of his arguments. His address left a marked impression on the audience who gained much valuable information which will enable them to vote right on election day.

Songhees Reserve Question

Mr. Moore made a neat speech during which he touched on the Songhees reserve question. He reminded the audience that Mr. Templeman had promised to settle the matter and have the reserve removed from the heart of the city, but it had remained for the government of Hon. Richard McBride to do so. (applause). The government of which Mr. Templeman was a member, had placed a stumbling block in the way of that settlement, however, in quibbling over the reversionary rights. The position which it had taken was a most extraordinary one, as the reversionary rights in the Indian reserves at Prince Rupert and Fort George had been ceded to the province without any question. The Grand Trunk Pacific did not hesitate to recognise the rights of the province. He thought it a most disgraceful thing that Mr. Templeman, who claimed to have the interests of

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A DEATH-BED REPENTANCE.

Some weeks ago the people of Victoria were informed that an announcement would shortly be made that would secure the votes of all Victorians for Mr. Templeman. It was made yesterday. It will not do the trick. It is too utterly transparent. It is simply a death-bed repentance, dictated by a realization of his hopelessness of winning Victoria at the forthcoming election. It is a bare-faced attempt to bribe a constituency. This is strong language, but we believe it is warranted by the facts. Let us review what the facts are. Some little space must be occupied for the unblushing fallacy of the announcement must be exposed.

Before doing so we may say that the project, to which Mr. Templeman now comes forward with his belated support, is one for which the Board of Trade of the city and the Colonist have been working steadily for many years, but during that time not one word of encouragement has come either from Mr. Templeman or his newspaper. Memorial after memorial has been sent to Ottawa but to no purpose. The Minister of Public Works visited Victoria a couple of years ago and this whole matter was brought before him in detail by the members of the Board of Trade and others. It will be within the memory of those who accompanied Mr. Pugsley on his visit to the several points where the work will have to be done, that Mr. Templeman was conspicuous by the manner in which he refrained from urging upon his colleagues the importance of the views advanced by the citizens. His apathy in regard to this great subject has been known by all men and has been commented upon adversely by some of his political friends.

Concerning the harbor improvements referred to, and upon which Mr. Templeman says $3,000,000 ought to be expended—we shall deal with the value of his proposal later on—there is not now and there never was any question. Whether or not the plan published in the evening paper is the best one to adopt is simply a matter of detail. Any plan of extensive harbor improvement must conform generally to the lines laid down on the plan. The question of harbor improvement is one for a harbor engineer to settle after a full study of the matter from every point of view. We make no point out of the fact that the plan appears on the face of it to have been prepared hastily, except so far as haste betokens that it was rushed into some sort of shape so as to place it before the electors. Let no one misunderstand the position of the Colonist in regard to harbor improvements. We believe the sum of at least $3,000,000 ought to be spent as quickly as possible in this highly important work, and whenever any government gives evidence that it proposes to undertake the work, any assistance which the Colonist is able to give in bringing the work to a successful conclusion will be cheerfully given. We believe today, as we always have believed, that Victoria can, with an expenditure that is by no means unreasonable, be made one of the finest seaports in the world. Victoria already in tonnage ranks second among the ports of the Dominion, and it has a just claim for a very large expenditure.

For some years past the average expenditure of the Federal authorities on port improvements has been in the neighborhood of $50,000 a year. In February, 1910, the local board of trade took up the question of harbor improvements, and with the realization that repeated representations to the cabinet minister of the province, the Hon. W. Templeman, had proved fruitless, sent a deputation to Ottawa to interview responsible ministers with a view to having the needed improvements undertaken. The deputation consisted of Mr. Joshua Kingham and Mr. Simon Leiser—two staunch Liberals—who it would be supposed would obtain the ears and confidence of the heads of the Liberal government, whom they interviewed. The deputation returned from Ottawa, and in a report submitted at a regular session of the board of trade, stated that among other ministers, the Hon. W. Pugsley had been interviewed and had promised that a sum of $100,000 should be expended immediately in effecting harbor improvements in the port of Victoria. This report was made during the month of March, 1910. Since that time a sum of slightly under [illegible] has been expended for harbor improvements in Victoria. In the interview which this deputation had with the Hon. Mr. Pugsley, this minister promised that the sum of $100,000 would be exceeded in the following year. This promise has not been kept, for in the latest estimates brought down in the Ottawa house the appropriation for Victoria falls very short of even $100,000. So much for the promises of the Hon. William Pugsley.

Mr. Templeman has launched his proposal with a good many words in regard to the necessity of improving the ports, to none of which we take exception, and therefore we will come at once to the pith of the announcement. He says if he is elected "it will be my duty to secure the commencement of this work as soon as the engineer can prepare plans and specifications and an appropriation is obtained for the purpose at the coming session of parliament." It will undoubtedly be Mr. Templeman's duty to do this. It was his duty to have done so as soon as he learned two years ago that the Minister of Public Works had been favorably impressed by the presentations made to him by the people of this city. He did not do it then, and what reason have the electors for believing that he will do his duty now? Mr. Templeman is careful to make no pledge. All he has done is to make public recognition of a duty that has been resting upon him ever since he entered the cabinet some seven years or more ago.

We draw particular attention to the language which he employs. It is the language of one who has been careful to keep on the safe side. If he cannot secure the necessary appropriation, he will be able to shelter himself behind the claim that all he did was to say that it was his duty to try and get it. Note again: He says the Premier and Minister of Public Works, "will favor making Victoria a great national port." This is a mere phrase. He then goes on to say: "The project, in so far as its necessity and cost are concerned, has been approved," and he adds that the government are fully impressed with the claims of Victoria. He does not say in so many words that the proposal has been approved by the government, but no doubt this is the meaning he intended to convey, and we shall not split hairs over words. Mr. Templeman referred to the proposed breakwater on a former occasion. At the nomination convention of the Liberal party held in this city on August 16 last, Mr. J. D. Kingham, who acted as chairman, brought the matter under his attention. What transpired in that connection, when the Liberal candidate rose to speak, was thus summarized in the Colonist's report of the meeting:

> Referring to the local issues introduced by the chairman he said that the construction of a breakwater to Brotchie Ledge was by no means impracticable. Victoria was an important shipping port and was destined to be greater. Its comparatively small harbor presently would be absolutely inadequate. In a year or so, with the completion of the Panama Canal and the progress of the development of resources, such a project as that in question would be necessary. He was prepared to use all his influence with the government to forward it, in fact he could state that Hon. Mr. Pugsley, the minister of marine, already had it under advisement.

The Liberal paper's report of what Mr. Templeman said was as follows:

> So far as I am concerned I will certainly do everything within my power, as I have already done to secure the co-operation of Dr. Pugsley, minister of public works, in the breakwater project. In fact I may say that I already have his assurance that as soon as I am convinced of the feasibility of the scheme he will be ready to put his engineers to work on the job.

Commenting upon this statement, the Colonist spoke of the very unsatisfactory nature of what the minister had said, and added that no doubt before the election came on a letter would come from Mr. Pugsley making some sort of a promise.

We wish readers to get the position of the question on August 16 fairly in their minds, for Mr. Templeman now says that the government has already approved of the project. The position cannot possibly have changed since August 16 so far as the government has concerned, for the government has not met since that day. Neither has the feasibility of the project been demonstrated by anything that has occurred since that date. We leave it to Mr. Templeman to settle with the electors how it came about that a proposal, which had not been shown to be feasible on August 16, has managed to secure between that date and September 14, the approval of a government that has not met in the meanwhile. Mr. Templeman has not been happy in his choice of words. He was very guarded, but not sufficiently so to prevent himself from falling into a glaring inaccuracy.

Mr. Templeman's telegram to the Minister of Public Works completely disproves his statement that the project has been approved "as to necessity and cost" by the government. In that telegram he tells Mr. Pugsley that he proposes issuing an address to the electors promising the breakwater and other harbor improvements to cost $3,000,000, and says he will be pleased to have the approval of his colleague. Mr. Pugsley, needless to say, approved of the issuing of such an address. He must have smiled when he read the telegram, for Mr. Pugsley never waits to ask anyone's permission before making promises.

But having smiled, Mr. Pugsley telegraphed to say that he would endorse Mr. Templeman's proposals. Why should it have been necessary for Mr. Templeman to ask Mr. Pugsley's approval of a project that had already been approved "in so far as its necessity and cost are concerned?" Why should Mr. Pugsley feel called upon to say that he would endorse a project that had already been approved of? There is not the least use in any one pretending to the contrary. The proposal put forward by Mr. Templeman with such a flourish of trumpets is not one inch further advanced than it was two years ago.

Compare for a moment Mr. Templeman's statement in his nomination speech with what he now tells the electors. Then he said that Mr. Pugsley was prepared to set his engineers to work as soon as he (Mr. Templeman) was convinced of the feasibility of the work. Now all Mr. Pugsley says he is prepared to do is to endorse Mr. Templeman's proposals. Here is a discrepancy which Mr. Templeman cannot hope to explain. What is the position of this project? Is it so far advanced that Mr. Pugsley is prepared to set his engineers to work on it, now that it has Mr. Templeman's delayed endorsement as to its feasibility? It surely cannot be, for yesterday Mr. Templeman told us that nothing can be done until an appropriation has been obtained from parliament. Will Mr. Templeman or some of his friends explain this discrepancy? Is the project approved by the government "as to its necessity and cost," or has it yet to receive the endorsement of the Minister of Public Works and be considered by the government? It cannot be in both stages. Will Mr. Templeman or some of his supporters tell us in which stage it is, and if they select one of them, how will they reconcile it with Mr. Templeman's allegation as to the other?

We have dealt with this mater at unusual length for two reasons. One of them is that we regret to see a great and necessary undertaking made a gambit in the game of politics, and the other is that we wish to show the utter hollowness of Mr. Templeman's professions. If space would permit we might refer to promises which he has made and show how little reliance is to be placed upon them, but we do not wish to divert attention from this one issue. The new announcement is simply the last refuge of an already defeated candidate.

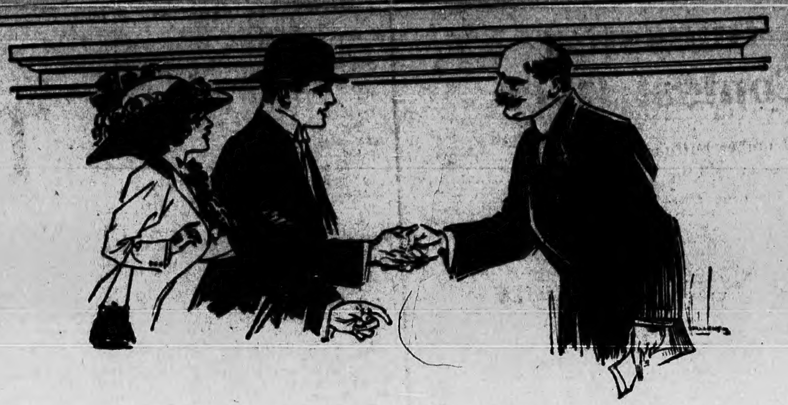
Just a few words in conclusion. The port of Victoria is what it is through no good offices of the Laurier government. Its new and pressing requirements do not arise from anything which that government has done or proposes to do. If the proposed work has merits, and it has undoubtedly very great merits, it derives none of them from the fact that Mr. Templeman is a member of the government and will lose none of them if he is defeated. Whether he is elected or defeated, Victoria will come into her own. If the Laurier government is overthrown, the government which Mr. Borden will form and of which Mr. Barnard will be a trusted supporter, will push this work forward as rapidly as it will be pushed forward by any government, for Mr. Barnard is pledged to do everything in his power to bring it about. The Panama Canal, to which Mr. Templeman refers, will be finished whether he is elected or not, and Victoria will become a national port although on September 21 he will drop into political oblivion. The proposal comes too late. Conditions have not changed one iota since Mr. Pugsley was here in 1909 and if Mr. Templeman had been in earnest then, as Mr. Pugsley was convinced then of the importance and necessity of the work, the great undertaking would be now under construction, and Mr. Templeman could appeal to the electors because of a rapidly maturing project, instead of being forced as now to attempt to escape impending disaster by printing hastily prepared maps and making statements that are irreconcilable.

It is promised that Ashcroft and Walhachin will be in telephonic communication with Kamloops and the Okanagan and Nicola valleys before next midsummer.

The famous Rocher de Boule mining property near Hazelton has been bonded to John F. Cowan, who plans heavy expenditures in proving the property this autumn.

John Westman of Vancouver was run over and killed a few days ago in the Terminal city by an automobile driven by Frank Wanton.

A petition is being addressed to the minister of public works at Ottawa by residents of Grand Forks, Cascade and Christiana Lake, urging the improvement of Christina Creek by the erection of a dam on Kettle river below where the creek empties into the river.



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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Miss Olive Mackay, who has been spending her summer holiday at Thetis and S. Pender, has returned home.

Mrs. D. Stewart, of this city, is visitning with her mother in Duncan for a few days.
beautiful gowns being noticed.

Miss Betty Spalding is spending a few weeks in Victoria from S. Pender island.

Miss Marian Quinlan has returned to her home in California after a very pleasant visit in Victoria and Vancouver.

Mr. Theodore Houraton Lennie, medical student from McGill university, is spending a few days with his sister, Mrs. G. Jennings Burnett before returning to Montreal.

Mrs. Pianta, of Nanaimo, is visiting in the city with her mother, Mrs. Lawrence, 1023 View street. Mrs. Pianta has just placed one of her daughters in the St. Ann's academy.

Mrs. Corson, from Shawnigan lake, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Jas. Raymur, Stanley avenue, for a few days.

Mrs. E. O. Weston, 1312 Stanley avenue, entertained on Thursday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Wright Chadwick, of Kansas City, Mo., who has been spending the summer with her daughter, Mrs. L. L. Butler, Carberry Gardens.

A pretty wedding was solemnized at Vancouver this week at the manse on Broadway East by the Rev. J. Woodside, the contracting parties being Miss Bernice V. Smith and Mr. Robert G. Finlayson, the bride from Montreal and the groom from Victoria. The couple were supported by the aunt of the bride and brother of the groom. They left on the 4 o'clock train for Seattle to spend a few days prior to taking up their residence in Victoria.

On Wednesday evening, the wedding of Miss Lydia, fourth daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Risdon, Metheril, Cornwall, England, and Mr. William H. White, youngest son of the late Mr. William White and Mrs. White, Coombe, Cornwall, England, was solemnized at the residence of the groom's cousin, Mr. Horace J. Knott, suite 25, Mount Edwards apartments, by Rev. T. E. Hollong, in the presence of the immediate relatives of the contracting parties. The bride looked charming in a gown of ivory silk with pearl trimming, veil and orange blossoms, and she carried a shower boquet of cream roses. The many beautiful and valuable gifts received attested to the popularity of the bride and groom in the home land, and also in the land of their adoption. Mr. and Mrs. White will reside at 1942 Oak Bay avenue, and will be at home after September 30th.

The "at home" given by the committee and members of the Pacific club of Victoria yesterday afternoon was very largely attended and extremely smart function. The beautiful rooms of the club had been most artistically decorated for the occasion and afforded an extremely effective background for the many handsome toilettes worn by the ladies present. The guests were received by Mr. H. G. Walsh, president of the club, assisted by Mr. James Paterson, vice-president; Mr. J. A. Virtue, secretary, and the following members of the committee: Messrs. Alexis Martin, W. C. Moresby, F. A. Bennet, F. W. Stevenson, and H. A. Porter. The rotunda was most artistically decorated with chrysanthemums and sweet peas, while in the recess Miss Thain's orchestra, of eight pieces, rendered a charming selection of the latest music. The corridors were hung with many very handsome skins and decorated with palms. Tea was served in the club dining room, the long table being most effectively arranged with masses of pale pink and white carnations and trails of smilax, while the lounge was beautifully decorated with goldenglow and bowls of yellow chrysanthemums. About eleven hundred invitations had been issued, and a very large number of well-known people were present, many

AMUSEMENTS

Crystal Theatre—"A Clever Fraud," a bright Vitagraph drama tells the adventure of a number of young people who take part in a mixed-up love affair. The cause of the difficulty is in the girl's profession—she is an actress and the aunty objects. At a reception given by the aunt, the actress impersonates a young man and charms the girls and the aunt as well. After funny scenes the picture ends with the aunt agreeing that Nellie is a proper match for her nephew. This comedy has a sparkle and life that is delightful. "Marvels of Horsemanship" is a commendable Edison film and was taken by permission of the commandant of the Fifteenth U. S. Cavalry, and gives a good idea of what the cavalry can do on a horse. Some of the feats are thrilling and all are interesting. The closing portion of the film, showing the evolutions of the entire company is more than ordinarily interesting. "Tin Mines and Foundry in Malacca" is an interesting picture showing the tin mines and foundries of this little known land Malacca. The mechanical work has been done with a thorough understanding of what is required to convey information and there is much of educational value in the film. "Shadows and Sunshine" is a Lubin drama. "Passing of the Dappled Fawn," an Indian drama. A dandy programme for Friday and Saturday. •

Majestic Theatre—"The Cardinal's Edict," a reproduction of Bulwer Lytton's drama, "Richelieu," by the Edison players. Cardinal Richelieu has issued an edict punishing dueling with death. The edict is forgotten by a young chevalier in the heat of passion, and he is brought before the cardinal. Fate, however, throws in his way an opportunity of doing the latter a great service, so that he not only secures his freedom, but also the cardinal's charming ward. In one scene of the film, Meissonier's famous painting, "The Quarrel," is reproduced. "By the Aid of a Lariat," a sensational western drama. In this remarkable production a young lady crosses hand over hand on a lariat over a deep Canyon. "Courage of Sorts," a western story. There are many sorts. This is one of the right sort. "The Bewildered Baker," a real comedy, "During Cherry Time," a novel love story very cleverly acted. •

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The other officers elected were as follows: First vice-president, J. H. [illegible], Long Beach, Cal.; treasurer, J. H. [illegible], Spokane; secretary, H. W. Bringhurst, Seattle (re-elected).

The [illegible] from [illegible] states and provinces were elected as follows: British Columbia—J. H. Carlisle, Vancouver; Washington, W. H. Tamylyn, Aberdeen; Idaho, F. H. Kelly, Wallace; Oregon, C. E. Foster, Astoria; California, Lewis Almgren, San Diego; Alberta, A. Carr, Calgary.

A review of the fire apparatus took place in the afternoon, which was not as complete as it would have been if the wet weather had not prevented a fuller exhibition. In the evening a banquet took place to the visiting chiefs, tendered by the fire department of the city, which was a most successful function.

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NEWS OF THE CITY

Buildings Permits—Buildings permits were issued yesterday by the building inspector to F. Moore, alterations to dwelling on Pemberton road to cost $1,900; to F. C. Green, dwelling on Foul Bay road, $1,400; to J. Shenk, dwelling on Selkirk street, $4,000.

Won Prizes at Exhibition—In the exhibition prize lists recently published, the names of the following were omitted: Mildred Alexander, 1st for Natural History exhibit; Norman Alexander, 2nd, natural history, and Mildred Alexander a special prize in cookery.

Speeding Autoist—For speeding his auto on the city streets, C. G. Owen was mulcted the sum of $20 in police court yesterday morning, and Henry Harkness paid the same amount, on being found guilty of driving his auto on the wrong side of the street, while crossing the intersections of Yates and Government streets.

Employment Agency Case.—In the case, which a few days ago had been remanded until yesterday, in which Max Hass is charged with obtaining the sum of $1.50 under false pretenses, with intent to defraud, the witnesses of the prosecution only were heard before Magistrate Jay in the police court yesterday morning, after which the case was further adjourned until this morning, in order that Mr. C. F. Davie for the defence might attend another court. Mr. E. H. Whittier, the informant, and the first witness called by Mr. J. A. Aikman, who is appearing for the prosecution, stated that he had noticed a sign in front of the office of the accused on Johnson street, which notice was worded to the effect that work could be obtained for carpenters at the rate of $4.25 per day. He entered the office and asked to be given the necessary information whereby he could obtain work as a carpenter. The information was given him by the accused, and the $1.50 which was the regular fee, was forthcoming. Whittner claimed that he went as directed to a contractor, but was unable to obtain the promised work, and that when he returned and asked that the money be refunded, it was refused him. Another witness for the prosecution said that he happened along as the two men were arguing about the money, and that he immediately paid Whittier the $1.50, for the purpose of instituting proceedings against the accused, and cited a few instances in which he knew the accused to have obtained money in a similar manner. William Waine, who is also a proprietor of an employment agency, said that he had at one time employed the accused, and at first had thought him to be a good worker, but later had discharged him. The defence will be heard this morning.

SEEK NEW SCHOOL SITE

Trustees Consider Offers of Property in Burnside Street District

Tenders for a site for a new school in the Burnside avenue district were opened at Wednesday's regular meeting of the school board and were left over until a subsequent meeting. There were a number of tenders, but the prices will be considered and reported at a subsequent meeting. The board has secured sites in James Bay and the northeastern section of the city, and all that remains is to secure a site in the southeastern section. The bids opened last evening will provide for this school.

A deputation from the Oaklands district asking for accommodation was heard. The intention of the board is to locate a school in that territory and in the meantime the residents will have to wait until the necessary by-law is passed by the city.

The secretary of the board reported that the work on the Bank street school is about finished, and as soon as the electric installation is made the pupils can be received.

The application of the Victoria Political Equality League calling attention to the necessity of appointing women physicians for the inspection of the school children was laid over, there being no funds available to provide for such inspection.

A complaint preferred by Mr. D. M. Campbell, principal of the North Ward school concerning the limited accommodation of the school was referred to the buildings and grounds committee for report.

The account of Mr. C. E. Watkins for plans prepared for the new high school, an account calling for $2,700, was referred to the buildings and grounds committee for consideration and report. Accounts to the amount of $2,716 were passed and ordered paid.

Mr. W. Dobson was appointed to the manual training staff at a salary of $75 per month, his engagement to commence at once.

DAUGHTERS OF EMPIRE

Poster Ball to Be Given at Alexandra Club on October 3rd

A meeting of the Daughters of the Empire was held in the Alexandra club on Tuesday, September 12, at 2:30 p.m. The president, Mrs. Croft, occupied the chair, and despite the very heavy rain, a good attendance of members was present. The secretary, Mrs. H. C. Hanington, performed the pleasing duty of handing over to Mrs. Croft and the Daughters of the Empire the beautiful silver trophy which had been presented by a committee of citizens in recognition of the Daughters' services towards making Coronation day so successful in Victoria. The trophy is in the form of a silver shield, with scroll above, mounted on mahogany and suitably inscribed. It is a beautiful example of the engraver's art, and the work was done in Victoria. The trophy, of which the Daughters are justly proud, will be hung in the Alexadra Club until the Daughters have a place of their own.

It was decided that the society give a poster ball to cover the deficit caused by Coronation day expenses. At this ball, which will be held in the Alexandra Club ball room on Tuesday evening, October 3, fancy dresses will be worn representing different business houses, or well known articles of commerce.

The Daughters of the Empire desire that those who wish to help in the [illegible]

THE WEATHER

Meteorological office, Victoria, B. C., at 8 p. m., September 14, 1911.

SYNOPSIS.

A storm area of considerable intensity developed on the British Columbia coast and its progress has caused a general decrease of pressure throughout the Canadian Provinces from the Pacific to the Lakes. Heavy rainfall has occurred in western Oregon and Washington and general rains in this and the Prairie Provinces. Present weather conditions are unsettled in these districts and cautionary storm signals were displayed this afternoon both here and at Vancouver.

TEMPERATURE.

	Min.	Max.
Victoria	52	58
Vancouver	54	60
Kamloops	50	62
Barkerville	42	54
Prince Rupert	56	
Calgary, Alta.	52	64
Winnipeg, Man.	52	70
Portland, Ore.	56	66
San Francisco, Cal.	55	78

THURSDAY.

Highest	58
Lowest	52
Mean	55

Rain, .02 inch.

Oddfellows to Entertain—Columbia Lodge No. 2, I. O. O. F., will entertain the Sisters of Rebekah at Oddfellows hall, Douglas street, on Wednesday night next. The entertainment will take the form of a social dance, it being the 61st anniversary of the Rebekahs.

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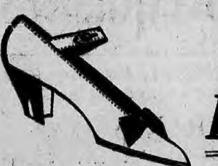

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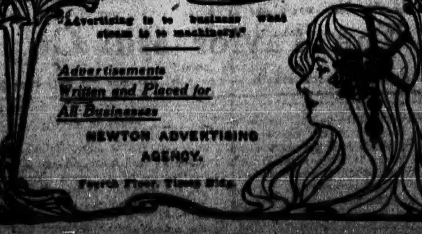

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NEWS OF THE CITY

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Geese in Fire Limits.—A Chinaman bearing the name of Chin Chung was the principal in a rather humorous though trifling case before the magistrate in the police court yesterday morning. According to the information read the Chinese was charged with keeping geese within the fire limits. He admitted that he was the owner of two geese, and when advised by the magistrate to kill the animals, he said that he had intended making a dinner of them on Sunday next. After paying the costs of the court the accused was allowed to go.

HIS DEATHBED REPENTANCE

(Continued From Page 3.)

Victoria so much at heart, would have supported the government in a policy which threatened to wreck the negotiations which had been opened by the McBride government with the Indians some time ago, and which, happily, had resulted successfully, despite the opposition of Ottawa.

Mr. Moore closed by quoting some statistics relative to the wage scale in Free Trade Britain and in countries where protection obtained.

Life of the Country.

Mr. Macdowall in his opening remarks said that reciprocity struck at the very life of the country. He told of the struggles of the early pioneers to build up Canada. They had made great sacrifices and we today should be prepared to make sacrifices also. He recited the history of the development of the Dominion and the final triumph of Mr. John A. Macdonald when he introduced his great national policy, which had given Canada its first national impulse.

The speaker dealt with the history of the trade relations between Canada and the United States and told of the shilly-shally policy of the Liberals, who had in all the years been simply masking annexation, and now once again the mask had been torn off and Sir Wilfrid and his government stood revealed in their true colors. (Applause.)

Mr. Macdowall punctured the arguments put forward by Mr. Templeman and other Liberal speakers that with reciprocity the produce of the farm would come in cheaper from Seattle, but at the same time the local producer would get more money for what he grew on the farm. "Why, ladies and gentlemen, the proposition is absurd." (Applause.)

The speaker told of the recent severe financial depression in the United States when there was no money in the banks, while Canadian financial institutions were unaffected, this showing the superiority of Canadian institutions. (Applause.)

This surely was not the time, when another severe depression was due in the United States for Canada to join hands with the country to to the south of the line. He was sure the electors would do their duty on Thursday next. (Applause.)

The meeting closed with cheers for Mr. Barnard and the singing of the national anthem.

NOMINATIONS IN VICTORIA CITY

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Hon. Wm. Templeman

Hon. Wm. Templeman's papers contained the twenty-five signatures necessary under the statute, as follows: Arthur William Currie, George Riley, W. F. Fullerton, Richard Hall, James Paterson, John Meston, P. W. Dempster, Alexander Wilson, Edward White, Michael Young, H. L. Salmon, Simon Leiser, Henry A. Munn, Andrew Wright, E. M. Tracksell, Stephen Jones, R. A. Brown, H. Harkness, S. A. Baird, D. E. Campbell, H. H. Shandley, Edgar Proudlove, R. T. Elliott, Hugh Kennedy, John Hart, H. A. Porter, R. L. Fraser, Thomas H. Horne, A. McD. B. Fraser, R. L. Drury, D. M. Paterson, William McCarter, A. R. Sherk, D. C. Hutchison, W. K. Houston, Henry McCandless.

Mr. Gordon Brown

Mr. Gordon Brown's papers bore the following signatures: John Henry Burroughs, Moses MacGregor, David Balnave, T. Balnave, J. Bardley, Thos. Geary, Albert E. Hull, David Milne, John T. Martin, Harry Noakes, George Oliver, N. Pugh, J. T. Rigley, Edwin Simpson, J. T. Stott, Ernest C. White, J. I. Staples, Albert Browning, D. Young, F. Keown, F. W. Garland, A. M. Cohen, G. C. Winckley, F. G. Hall, Ernest Jackson, Amos S. Grant, John T. Flynn, Wm. Steven, J. F. Caulfield, Phil R. Smith, Arch. Clyde.

HOW TO EVADE THE ALIEN LABOR ACT

The following notice, issued by the superintendent of immigration in the Laurier government, of which Hon. Wm. Templeman is a member, is self-explanatory:

NOTICE

594511 J. M. M.

Office of Superintendent of Immigration.

Ottawa, March 1, 1911

In order to meet the demand for railroad laborers in Canada last year, the regulations relating to money qualifications and "continuous journey" were relaxed for a certain period.

This year railroad laborers going to assured permanent employment at construction will be admitted to Canada from the 1st of May until the 30th of September, both dates inclusive, irrespective of money qualifications, or continuous journey provided they are native or citizens of the countries, or some one of the countries in which immigration effort is made by Canada, i.e., Great Britain, Ireland, France, Belgium, Holland, Germany, Denmark, Iceland, Norway, Sweden, Switzerland, or the United States of America, and provided also, that the immigrants are suited to railroad work and are in all other respects desirable, have sufficient money to carry them to the work for which they have been engaged and DOCUMENTARY OR OTHER SUFFICIENT EVIDENCE OF DEFINITE EMPLOYMENT to go to.

On the 1st October, 1911, this relaxation of the regulations will come to an end without further notice.

(Signed) W. D. SCOTT,
Superintendent of Immigration

NEW WESTMINSTER'S FAIR

Exhibits From Vancouver Island to Be Sent Over

Farmers and fruit growers on Vancouver island are to receive more than usual consideration from the management of the big provincial fair to be held in New Westminster from October 3 to 7. It is recognized by the management that the quality of fruit and produce grown on the island and smaller islands in the Gulf of Georgia is second to none, and it is to secure these exhibits and make the competition from all parts of the province keen that this move is being made. In previous years many prizes have been won by growers from the islands. Arrangements are being made by Captain Troup, superintendent of the C. P. R. coast service, for a boat to sail from Victoria on October 2, stopping at all the smaller island points, picking up exhibits of both cattle and agriculture for transport to New Westminster, the run being made direct to that city. Enough time is allowed by this to enable the exhibitor to put things in order for the opening of the fair on Tuesday, October 3. Special prizes are being offered for exhibits from the western boundary of the province.

GOLD FINDS IN B. C.

Encouraging Reports Received from Chilcotin and Yellowhead Districts

Reports are received from Ashcroft of a genuine stampede into the near Chilcotin country, where discoveries promising well, have recently been made of gold-silver ledges evidently of unusual size and continuity. A. H. Shepard, manager of the Tatlayako Lake Gold Mines, Ltd., and J. T. Morris are regarded as the original explorers and pioneers of the district in which the new field is located. Mr. Shepard says:

"This summer considerable development work has been prosecuted and several veins of gold-silver ore have been discovered, the largest of which will average four feet in width. The ore lies exposed on the surface for 1,000 feet without a break. The average gold and silver values carried by this vein are from $25 to $435 a ton. For the entire length of the vein the values average $40. There is a base ore in the composition of these veins, and this base ore is antimony, which will run as high as 70 per cent. On the gold-silver vein 600 feet of tunneling has been completed, and nowhere has ore been met with carrying less than $25 in gold to the ton. On the face of the tunnel the average samples assayed ran $127 to the ton. The face, moreover, showed four feet of clear ore. The vein has a depth of 200 feet.

"A crew of men are working on this vein, and are gaining depth rapidly," continued Mr. Shepard. "We have yet to go some distance before we reach the rich ore which showed $435 values on the surface. Our mining engineer, Mr. E. Ehrenberg of Spokane, estimates that we have $500,000 of ore blocked out at present. There is no doubt whatever in my mind that the Tatlayako Lake country is one of the richest, if not the richest, gold district in British Columbia. Those who are interested in properties in that district are making every effort to have a road opened up from Bute Inlet. With the communication thus afforded the properties located would immediately be placed upon a paying basis."

Another rich strike has just been made in the Yellowhead district by an old Kamloops prospector. A big find of gold, copper and silver ore has been made on the Moose river, Yellowhead, by the Teer Brothers, who for years were prospecting in the Lardeau. Another old timer of the Lardeau who has made a good strike in the same district is Billy Hollaway, who, it is claimed, has located one of the biggest showings of gold and silver ore ever made in the North country. With him in his new locations are associated Mr. and Mrs. Nelson and W. Douglas. The ore samples from these properties are now in Nelson being assayed, and arrangements are being made to develop the property this winter.

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The building, which was designed by Mr. Thomas Hooper, the architect, is of mill type, slow burning construction. It will be equipped with the latest fire alarm system for the safety of its employes and customers. The building is to be increased to six storeys, if such is found necessary by the firm. The basement will include a showroom, besides a steam heating plant, which is now in operation in order that the building will be free from all wall dampness, when the doors are opened to the public.

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The improvement of his home is the ambition of every farmer, mechanic and business men. The prosperity of a man is shown quite as much, as a rule, by the size and beauty of his home as by the length of his bank account or the balances of his ledger. The miner or the factory hand is not, in this country, long content to live in a house provided for him by the company that employs him. As soon as ever circumstances will permit, he builds or rents a home of his own. In cities and towns the terrace with its monotonous front is not popular. It is for this reason that the prosperity of a district can be readily told by the look of its homes. Not only the father but each member of the family delights in adding to the comfort or even the elegance of the dwelling. Of course, standards vary but not so greatly as in older lands. But the ambition to make the house more than a shelter is general.

We have not yet learned to look far beyond our homes for our entertainment. Families do not seek for pleasure, as on the continent of Europe, in public places. By many visitors this is looked upon as a drawback. Our theatres and our public squares are not proportioned to the wealth of our cities.

On the other hand, life in our homes is, on the whole, sound and sweet. There is love between wives and husbands, fathers and children, brothers and sisters. In this strength of the family bond there is great hope for the future. We talk of the great extent of Canada and sometimes fears are expressed for its unity. But while sons and daughters in the west and middle west, cherish love for parents, sisters and brothers in eastern Canada, there is little danger of disruption or even discord.

The standard of comfort reached in the homes of Canadian people is a high one. Even the English gentleman has not more to minister to his material comfort than the well-to-do merchant or the thriving mechanic.

Yet, while this is true, while we cherish the affection and the sociability which endear our homes to us, we must remember that the homes of the old land contain treasures which few of us the name, works of art and objects of value highly enough. Books and the leisure to read them, pictures worthy the name, works of art and objects of beauty are to be found in homes where rich carpets and elegant furniture are never seen and where great economy is exercised by every member of the family. That our social life is sound at the bottom is something for which we ought to be very thankful and we should guard very carefully against every tendency to undermine it. But all, and especially the women of our country, must learn to distinguish between true ornament and vulgar display. Those who value what is best and highest in life need not fear to build on the foundation which the pioneeers of Canada have laid.

Closing of Y. W. C. A. Conference

The closing meeting of the conference of Y. W. C. A. workers was held on Tuesday evening in the library of the new Y. M. C. A. building. Miss Little's address was on "Adequate financial policy and how to realise it." The speaker impressed upon the members the necessity of choosing the finance committee with the greatest care. The members should, besides being good business women, be representative of all interests in the community.

The plan of direct contributions was advocated for, the speaker contended, the Y. W. C. A. by its educational activities, was supplementing the work of the schools and in helping immigrants and strangers was serving the nation. For both these reasons the association had a claim on men and women of means to whatever religious denomination they might belong. It was not advisable to try to add to the general revenue from the boarding house. Whatever surplus was left should be used to make the rooms more attractive and the meals more tempting.

Miss Stevenson delivered an earnest address in which she told of the benefits to be derived from the observation of the world's week of prayer, which was held in November.

Mrs. Francton, of Victoria, spoke on the value of Bible study to the individual.

Interesting discussions followed each of the addresses and at the close a hearty vote of thanks was tendered to Miss Little and Miss Stevenson. By a regrettable mistake in yesterday morning's paper it was made to appear that the addresses delivered on Monday evening by Miss Little and Miss Stevenson were given before the women's council instead of at the Y. W. C. A. conference.

The directors of the local association have made some changes in its organization. Instead of the matron a superintendent has been appointed who for the present will fill the office of general secretary and manager of the home. Miss B. J. Johnston has been chosen to fill this position. Miss Johnston has for some months past been filling the position of general secretary of the Y. W. C. A. at Vancouver.

This lady is well and favorably known in Victoria. In 1893 she was sent out by the foreign mission committee of the Presbyterian church to take charge of the Alberni Indian mission, a place she filled most acceptably for seven years.

Msis. Evans has resigned the situation of traveler's aid that she may take a much needed rest. Miss Schofield, who has done excellent work as matron will fill her position and conduct the employment bureau. The young women coming to Victoria can have no kinder friend nor one who will take more trouble in their behalf.

A Useful Official.

Since Miss Evans took the position of Travellers' Aid of the Y. W. C. A. not quite four months ago, she has helped in one way or other almost four hundred women who came as strangers to Victoria. She has helped many of these to find temporary homes in good boarding houses when it was not possible to accommodate them in the Y. W. C. A. Home. Others she has helped to find their friends. The Travellers' Aid must hold herself in readiness to meet, not only the boats and trains which come in throughout the day, but those which arrive late at night, or leave early in the morning. That much good has been done in a quiet way, by this official cannot fail to be understood by anyone who thinks about the matter. This post is one that must be filled by a lady who possesses tact and sympathy, as well as a thorough knowledge of local conditions. As the time goes on the arrivals will be greater, for there are still many openings in Victoria for young girls. No woman here wha is able and willing to work need be without employment.

Need of Care

Now that the schools have begun and the evenings are drawing in, mothers should try to make their homes a meeting place for their children and their friends. Street corners are not safe places for the boys to congregate, much less for the girls to meet their companions. Busy women have, it is true, little time to provide amusements for the young folk. Their noise may be distracting and children must learn that life is a serious business. Lessons take up much of their time and both boys and girls now-a-days have outdoor games.

While all this is true, the children who do not learn to look upon their homes as the place to which they can bring their most intimate friends are very unfortunate. The mother may learn too late that she has lost the confidence of her boy or worse still of her girl. Pretty rooms and quiet hours may cost too much. Keep the children in at night at whatever cost, unless they are under the care of the mothers of friends of whom you approve. Only in this way will they learn the self-control which will make you able to trust the grown lad and the maiden when the time comes for them to choose their own paths. There will be meetings, religious and social, to which wise and good parents will allow their children to go at their discretion but the best of these can never be a substitute for a happy home life.

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TERRORS OF ETNA

Overflow of Lava Causing Widespread Destruction on Slopes—Peasants Suffer Severely

CATANIA, Sept. 14.—The eruption of Mount Etna is assuming the proportions of a disaster. The lava stream whose path crosses the railway line circling the volcano, is approaching the railway station to the north and especially threatening the depots at Merce and Alicantami, which were abandoned today. Squads of laborers were at work today taking up the railroad tracks and removing all transportable matter to places of safety.

The entire crest of Mount Etna appears to be in a state of ebullition. The gravity of the eruption of Mount Etna is indicated by the abandonment of the railroad station at Merce and also at Alicantami, at the north of the mountain. Alicantami marked the limit of the last flow in 1879. Merce was threatened at that time, but escaped.

The eruption means suffering for the peasantry. The slopes of Mount Etna within an area of more than 35 square miles support a population more dense than that of any other portion of Sicily or Italy. There are 65 cities and [illegible]ges in the vicinity and the number of inhabitants who obtain an excellent living from the fertile fields is more than 300,000.

It was reported this afternoon that a total of 79 new fissures had opened in the volcano since the disturbance began. The river of lava, which is moving slowly northward, has increased in volume and extends eight miles from its source. The houses of several peasants have been overwhelmed. The earthquakes continue, terrifying the people for miles around.

CAPTURED BY HOBO

Lady School Teacher in Manitoba, Niece of Premier Roblin, Has Terrifying Experience

SNOWFLAKE, Man., Sept. 14.—Work on farms and in town was suspended today while men searched for Henry ("Bill") Wilson of Hanna, N. D., who is alleged to have kept Miss Eleanor Gladys Price, a school teacher, and niece of Premier Roblin, prisoner for 30 hours in the forest.

Wilson was last seen at Pembina bridge last night, but there is fear that he escaped over the international border. Bloodhounds are on the trail.

Premier Roblin of Manitoba arrived today in his automobile and joined in the search.

The condition of Miss Price is improved tonight.

Though suffering intensely from the shock, Miss Price was able some time after her return, to give an account of all that had happened since her single pupil had left her after morning school on Monday.

Miss Price was seated in the schoolroom when a man, said to be Harry Wilson of Hanna, N. D., suddenly appeared in the doorway and pointed a rifle at her. The little teacher, refusing his demands, Wilson threatened to shoot, whereas she told him to shoot. A struggle then ensued and Wilson hit the plucky girl over the head with a bottle, then carried her off into the bush. After a while he compelled her to walk and they travelled deeper into the heart of the underbrush. Here Wilson lighted a fire and the terrified girl spent the long night with the wakeful Wilson watching her every move and threatening to shoot at the first sound from her. She heard the whistle of her sweetheart, Frank Patterson, who was seeking her, but was unable to respond. Wilson drank heavily right through the night, consuming inordinate quantities of liquor and smoking innumerable cigarettes. Incessantly the poor girl pleaded with her captor to allow her to return, but he turned a deaf ear to all her pleadings. All night long she moved around to keep warm and watching for a chance to make her escape, but the menacing rifle left her no loophole. Then day came. Wilson wanted to take her across the river. He said he was a rich man and would grant her anything she wanted, but she remained steadfast and refused to accompany him. The liquor had all been consumed by this time and its effects were passing away. Wilson's cigarettes and matches also gave out, which troubled him much, being an inveterate smoker.

Last evening he finally consented to allow her to return home. "But don't go and tell them," was his parting adjuration. "I'm sorry this happened." Then telling her he intended cutting all the telephone wires in the district to prevent his capture, he left her and she made her way to the farm of John Rion and after resting, continued her way to the Patterson home, where she had been staying and where she now rests and recuperates.

Investigation around the countryside brings to light Wilson's meanderings before his arrival at the little school in the valley. He was seen in Manitou on Saturday afternoon, went to a neighboring village, where he stole a rifle and decamped. Later he appeared in Manitou again and bought four bottles of liquor, from which place he made his way to Riverdale school.

Wilson is a man of about forty years of age, and is said, with the assistance of the accomplices, who were shot in the affray, to have held up a train south of the border, after which he struck north to the Manitou district.

ANTI-FOREIGN FEELING IN KARSU

Placards Posted Calling Upon Chinese to Slay the Foreigners—Revolutionaries at Peking.

Shanghai newspapers received by the Awa Maru report a great wave of unrest and much anti-foreign feeling prevalent in Kansu province, where posters are being circulated stating that the foreign governments are planning to divide China, America alone being unfavorable to this plan, and the people are called upon to rise and slay the foreigners and those who study their teachings and wear foreign clothing.

Based upon telegrams from the Chinese consul at Singapore, who wired that revolutionaries were planning to smuggle rifles and ammunition into South China a courtier at Peking was arrested and several prominent Chinese suspected of aiding the revolutionaries fled. Several minor outbreaks are reported from Canton, where seizures of arms and munitions were made.

Fight May Be Stopped

LONDON, Sept. 14.—There seems a probability that the protest of the nonconformists may result in stopping the Johnson-Wells contest. The chairman [illegible]

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Island Mutton Legs	20c	Mild Corned Beef	9c
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SCHEDULE FOR SOCCER LEAGUE

Association Football Association Last Night Decided on Opening Games of Local Series—Some Fixtures

At a general meeting of the Victoria Football association held last evening it was decided that the senior league schedule would be opened on Saturday, the 30th inst. There will be two senior and two intermediate matches each week end.

A letter received from the referees' association announcing that the fee for providing an official for every contest would be $2.50 was accorded a cold reception, it being agreed that $2.00 for first division fixtures and $1.00 for those of the lower grades was quite sufficient. This offer will be made.

Mr. A. Manson was elected president. He demurred on being nominated, but when the delegates expressed a wish that he should take up the duties and responsibilities of the post, acquiesed and received the appointment. The Garrison was permitted to enter the second division competition on explaining that circumstances over which they had no control prevented them making their entry within the time limit. R. and H. Campbell were graded as first division players.

Some Entries

The first half of the first division schedule was drafted as follows:

Sept. 30, A. O. F. v. N. W. A. A.; Garrison v. V. W. A. A.

Oct. 7, S. O. E. v. J. B. A. A.; N. W. A. A. v. Garrison.

Oct. 14, J. B. A. A. v. A. O. F.; V. W. A. A. v. S. O. E.

Oct. 21, A. O. F. v. V. W. A. A.; S. O. E. v. N. W. A. A.

Oct. 28, Garrison v. J. B. A. A.; N. W. A. A. v. V. W. A. A.

Nov. 4, J. B. A. A. v. N. W. A. A.; S. O. E. v. Garrison.

Nov. 11, S. O. E. v. A. O. F.; V. W. A. A. v. J. B. A. A.

Nov. 18, A. O. F. vs. Garrison.

Referees Organize

The soccer football referees of the city, at a recent meeting, organized for the season, deciding upon their rates as shown above, and appointed officers as follows: President, J. W. Allison; vice president, J. W. Lorimer; secretary, J. R. Allen.

ALL BALL GAMES WERE POSTPONED

Indians and Islanders Didn't Get Together Yesterday—Double Header for This Afternoon.

League Standing.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Vancouver	90	58	.608
Spokane	81	67	.556
Seattle	80	67	.544
Tacoma	78	71	.523
Portland	75	70	.518
Victoria	38	112	.253

Games Today.

Spokane at Victoria (2 games).
Tacoma at Vancouver.
Portland at Seattle.

The weather was bad all over the circuit yesterday, none of the Northwestern League ball games being played. The announcement that there would be no argument between Victoria and Spokane here was received with considerable disappointment. There were many fans who were not able to witness the double-header of Wednesday who were very anxious to see the rejuvenated Islanders in action. They will have the opportunity today, providing the rain doesn't interfere. The management has announced that a double-header will take place, the first contest starting at 2 o'clock and the second being called immediately after. The latter should begin at 4 o'clock. Umpire Dashwood does not intend to lose any time unnecessarily.

Having dropped the only two games that have been played thus far Joe Cohn, the Indians' manager, does not propose allowing the same thing to happen again, if anything he can do will prevent it. It is expected that he will have the very strongest of his pitching staff on the rubber. Schwenck, a twirler who will be recognized by those who have been following the dope as formidable, is mentioned as the likely occupant of the slab for one of the contests. Who will take on the task in the other is problematical. Netzel, of course, will be back, doubtless on the third bag while Cartwright is the likely guardian of the second sack. Taking it all round the champions will have their fastest nine on the field so that the Islanders will have to travel to duplicate their performance of the other day.

Brennan Disabled

Manager "Ducky" Holmes hasn't given away his plans. Hence it is only possible to do a little surmising. Both DeVogt and Grindle probably will be worked. Million is the player named for short-stop. It is hardly possible that J. Brennan will be in shape to take up that post. The reason he was withdrawn on Wednesday is that his right arm is almost useless having been hit hard by Pitcher Bloomfield a couple of weeks ago. This explains how he happened to allow that ball to get by him when attempting to start a double and how he failed to grab that Texas leaguer that fell between him and Kennedy. The arm is so sore that he can't raise it to his head. Jack, therefore, is out of the question. Erickson is suggested as one of the slab artists and Williams as another. If the latter goes in that centre field position will have to be filled. This will leave an opening for Manager "Ducky" himself, and as the fans are anxious to see him in action, it is possible that he will gratify their curiosity. All this, however, is mere guess work. Manager "Ducky" may have a number of moves altogether different up his sleeve. So the best way is to go out and watch developments.

Bob Brown has cancelled the Saturday game at Vancouver with Tacoma in favor of the lacrosse match. The games will be played in Tacoma on both Saturday and Sunday.

FINANCES OF THE NORTHWEST TEAMS

Spokane, Vancouver and Seattle Baseball Clubs Make Money This Season—Others Lose.

SPOKANE, Sept. 14.—Echoes of financial losses in connection with the Northwestern league's present pennant race are heard on every hand. California papers are printing their usual sharp raps at this circuit, and over in Montana they are anxious to make out that the Union association is faster and stronger, as well as being better patronized.

Now these are the facts: Three of the clubs in this league will all make money. Brown estimates that he will do at least a $10,000 profit on the year and Cohn's figures will not fall far short of that. The Seattle magnate, D. E. Dugdale, has not disposed of so many players to major league clubs, but his ledger will show a balance in black figures easily.

The Spokane club has been the big road card of the whole season, outdrawing all other clubs on the road from 20 to 100 per cent. Cohn got a cut of all three of the season's big weeks, the week on the queen's birthday, in Vancouver, when he got nearly $3,000; the Potlatch celebration week in Seattle when his check from Dugdale was $2,254 (the writer saw it), and Labor Day week in Spokane, when his share was not a cent, less than $2,600. Tacoma's biggest week of the entire season was late in July with the Spokane club. Victoria's best week of the season was its opening series with Spokane early in May.

Judge McCredie says the Portland team will quit loser, and there is little doubt but that the Victoria management will drop some money. Still, Victoria is operating this year with the cheapest club the league ever had.

Will W. H. Lucas come back to resume the direction of the Northwestern league in 1912? The despatch in the Salt Lake paper a few days ago indicated that there was some dissatisfaction with the expensive administration of the U. A. this year. Expense was one of the very few objections to the Lucas regime in this circuit, although the principal obstacle was, of course that Dugdale and Brown found they could not control the stubborn veteran on points of especial interest in their case. Brown secured the dismissal of Ralph Frary over Lucas' protest. Tacoma fought for Lucas to the finish, Shreeder's being the only vote cast for the ex-president. No, Mr. Lucas will not be back at the Northwestern league in 1912.

HUNTERS ABROAD

Open Season for Grouse, Cinch, Snipe and Deer Is On—Usual Exodus of Sportsmen

This is the day of the year to sportsmen who love the chase. Blue and willow grouse are legal prey from this day forth.

For weeks the majority of the real enthusiasts have been busily engaged in putting their hunting dogs in shape for the season's opening. A large number of parties left the city several days ago for their several favorite districts. The largest exodus, however, took place yesterday, the outgoing trains being crowded almost to their capacity. This is expected to happen again today. In fact, the indications are that a record will be established in the number who join in the raid on Vancouver Island's stock of native feathered game.

If the news which has been coming to Victoria from Shawnigan, the Highinad district, Cobble Hill, Cowichan, and other adjacent sections can be given any credence, most of those proficient in the use of the shotgun and provided with good dogs should return with bulky bags.

There also will be some who will go after duck and snipe, while quite a brigade of riflemen is expected abroad looking for deer.

HUNT CLUB INTENDS HOLDING GYMKHANA

The Victoria Hunt club's season will be opened here on Saturday the 30th inst., with a gymkhana. The scene of the sports will be the exhibition grounds, the permission of the B. C. Agricultural association having been secured.

It was decided to inaugurate the organization's outing in this noteworthy fashion at a largely attended meeting held yesterday. A special committee was appointed to arrange the programme which will be at attractive, it is stated, as that offered for any previous affair of the kind. A numuer of the events will be open to the general public and it is hoped that sportsmen generally will join in making the events a pronounced success.

Club members are reminded that subscriptions for the coming season are now due and should be sent to the secretary-treasurer, Mr. A. W. Morton, care of the Jubilee hospital. Ladies and gentlemen wishing to join are requested to send their names to the same official who will submit them to the executive without delay.

BASEBALL RESULTS

National.

New York took a long step pennantward in the National league race Thursday, winning from Boston, while Chicago succumbed twice to Pittsburg. New York now has a lead of 32 points, or four games, over Chicago, while Pittsburg has pulled up to within 21 points of Chicago. New York has an off day today, while Chicago and Pittsburg lock horns in another double-header. The leaders' standing:

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
New York	81	46	.638
Chicago	77	50	.606
Pittsburg	73	56	.535

No games were scheduled in the American league.

PITTSBURG, Sept. 14.—Pittsburg today took both games of a double header from Chicago, 8 to 2 and 4 to 2. The first was the most exciting and developed into a pitchers' battle between Camnitz and Brown. Clark's home run was stopped by Schulte on a dead run, but he could not hold the ball. In the second game Pittsburg had Chicago shut out until the ninth. Scores:

First game:	R.	H.	E.
Pittsburg	3	9	1
Chicago	2	6	1

Camnitz and Simon; Brown and Archer.

Second game:	R.	H.	E.
Pittsburg	4	8	0
Chicago	2	8	1

Lefield and Gibson; Ritchie, McIntyre, Richter and Archer.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 14.—St. Louis won the first game of a double header from Cincinnati, 6 to 5, in eleven innings and tied the second, which was called after the fifth because of darkness. Scores:

First game:	R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati	5	12	2
St. Louis	6	14	0

Suggs, Gaspar, Compton and McLean, Clarke, Severoid; Harmon, Laudermilk and Bliss.

Second game:	R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati	5	4	1
St. Louis	5	6	2

(Five innings.)

Gaspar and McLean; Woodburn, Geyer and Wing.

BOSTON, Sept. 14.—New York made 13 runs on its 16 hits today. This hitting bee featured the last game on the local grounds this season and marked a clean-up for New York in the present series. Wiltse pitched well up to the eighth, when he gave way to Mathewson, who checked the locals' rally. Crandall, who pitched for New York in the ninth, was hit safely seven times for five runs.

Score:	R.	H.	E.
Boston	3	16	2
New York	13	16	2

Mattern, Weaver, Hogg and Rariden; Wiltse, Mathewson, Crandall and Myers, Wilson.

Coast.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 14.—San Francisco lost to Oakland, 1 to 3, today when in the eighth inning the Oaks found Henley for four hits and three runs. The Seals made two hits and their sole run in the first inning. Thereafter Gregory allowed them one hit in each of the five succeeding innings. Henley pitched excellent ball until the eighth, allowing only three scattered hits.

Score:	R.	H.	E.
Oakland	3	8	1
San Francisco	1	7	1

Gregory and Pearce; Henley, Meikle and Berry.

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 14.—Heavy hitting by the Los Angeles featured an otherwise uninteresting game between Los Angeles and Sacramento here today. Sixteen hits were garnered off Thornton and Thomson, who shared evenly in the bombardment. These, with a base on balls by Thornton and an error by Lechen enabled the Angels to score six times, winning the game 6 to 3. Score:

Los Angeles	6	16	0
Sacramento	3	7	1

Batteries—Toser and Smith; Thornton, Thomson and Thomas.

LARNED AND WRIGHT TO VISIT VICTORIA

Celebrated Eastern Cracks Expected to Give Number of Exhibitions of Tennis Here Next Month.

Now that it has been decided that the leading American tennis cracks will go to Australia to compete with the holders of the Davis cup for the world's championship there is a strong probability that Victoria will have an opportunity of seeing some of the finest tennis that has ever been played on local courts.

When B. P. Schwengers, the local crack, and the winner of the Canadian championship, returned from the east he announced that he had the promise of W. Larned that, should be and his partner be successful in triumphing over the Britishers in the preliminaries, they would make a short stay in Victoria en route to the Antipodes. Mr. Larned, it was stated, was anxious to obtain a little shooting in this vicinity and agreed, providing the weather was suitable during his sojourn here, to play a number of games for the benefit of local enthusiasts and incidentally, no doubt, to obtain some practice. Accompanying him, it is expected, will be Beals Wright, another of the eastern stars. He also may be seen in action.

While nothing definite is known as yet Mr. Schwengers is expecting to hear from these players any day. Before leaving Newport he exacted a promise from them, they agreeing to inform him of the date of their departure so that arrangements might be made for their reception here and for the proposed games. Of course everything depends on the weather. If it is at all possible, however, the visitors will be induced to make an appearance on the Cadboro Bay courts. Mr. Schwengers, says that it will be an education to those who have not witnessed any of the international games to see the strong and effective work of Mr. Larned both at the back of the court and at the net.

OHIO TENNIS TOURNEY

Canadian Lady with Miss Florence Sutton Win Doubles—Meet of International Character

CLEVELAND, O., Sept. 14.—The Ohio state tennis tournament took on a national character today with the arrival of Miss Florence Sutton of California, who beat Mrs. Jay Kinney of Cleveland, 6-0, 6-0 in women's singles. Miss May Sutton defeated Miss Walls of Cleveland, 6-4, 6-0.

In the women's championship doubles, Miss Lois Moyes of Toronto and Miss May Sutton beat Mrs. Cobb and Mrs. Croxton, Cleveland, 6-4, 6-1, and Miss Florence Sutton and Mrs. Beard, Cleveland, beat Miss Mable Boardman, Cleveland, and Miss Murray, Cleveland, 6-0, 6-4.

NO FIGHT ALLOWED AT MILWAUKEE

MILWAUKEE, Sept. 14.—The Wolgast-McFarland fight, billed for Friday night, was called off by the National Athletic club shortly after midnight, following a conference of the club officials and county officers and Acting Governor Morris.

It was evident from the last stand taken by the acting governor and Sheriff Arnold, with the backing of the district attorney, that any attempt to put on the contest would not be permitted.

At a lengthy conference tonight of representatives of the National Athletic club, county officers and Acting Governor Thomas Morris, the situation was discussed from every possible angle, and Governor Morris said he would not recede from his original position.

Governor Morris said he was of the opinion that the proposed contest was a "prize fight" and not a "boxing contest." Sheriff Arnold said the contestants would not be permitted to bring off the bout.

"Injunction or no injunction," said the sheriff, "the bout will not be held."

District Attorney Zabel said he did not believe the court would issue an injunction restraining the officers from enforcing the law, and should such proceeding be resorted to he would uphold the sheriff in ignoring it.

Danny Morgan, manager for "Knockout" Brown, who arrived here today with Brown, had a conference tonight with Tom Jones, manager of Lightweight Champion Ad Wolgast. Morgan offered Wolgast a guarantee of $12,000 and $1,000 expenses to meet Brown in a 10-round bout in New York or any other place. In addition, Morgan offered to bet $25,000 that Brown would beat the champion. The proposed match is to be held regardless of the outcome between the champion and McFarland, which is scheduled for Milwaukee Friday night.

Jones is communicating with several eastern clubs in regard to staging the bout.

FAST TRAVELLING AT EASTERN TROTTING MEET

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Sept. 14.—Soprano, 2:03¾, won the Madden sweepstakes, the feature of today's grand circuit meeting, beating Halworthy, 2:05¼. It took five heats to decide which trotter would get the greater share of the $4,200 stake.

Results:

2:05 pace, two in three, purse $1,000—Major Brino won in straight heats. Best time, 2:05¼. Ella Ambulater second, Star Patch third.

The Madden Sweepstakes, three in five, purse $4,200 (second money $800)—Soprano, ch.m., by Bellina, won first, fourth and fifth heats, and race. Hailworth, b.g., won second and third heats. Time, 2:08, 2:06¼, 2:06, 2:08¼, 2:09¾.

2:08 pacing, two in three, purse $1,000—My Shady Belle won second and third heats and race. Best time, 2:06¼. Twinkling Dan won first heat. Time, 2:06¼. Directum Regent third.

Inter-City events, 2:24 trot to wagon, two in three, trophy—Eva Cord won second and third heats and race. Best time 2:12¼. Uncle Biff won first heat. Time 2:14¼.

Free-for-all trot to wagon, trophy, two in three—Doctor Treg won in straight heats. Best time 2:09¾. Bervaldo second, Startle third.

2:11 trot to wagon, two in three, gold cup—Foxy Boy won in straight heats. Best time 2:11½. Red Lace, Jr., second; Rebecca G., third.

2:12 trot to wagon, two in three—League challenge cup—Wataga won in straight heats. Best time, 2:11¼. Mae Cassidy second, Mattie Allerton third.

2:15 trot to wagon, two in three, trophy—Myrtle Farnet won in straight heats. Best time, 2:11¼.

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At a meeting of the Victoria Lacrosse club held Wednesday, it was decided to arrange a dance to be held in the near future as a fitting close to the season's activities. The following committees were appointed to make the necessary preparations: Finance, E. Christopher, F. Sweeney and S. Okell. Refreshments, E. Taylor, J. Hancock, R. Owens and Jas. Dakers. Decoration, W. Blake, B. Wilson and B. Johnson. Reception, Ald. Ross, Ald. Humber, Ald. George Okell, Leo Sweeney and C. G. Clute.

WOLGAST BREAKS UP TRAINING CAMP

MILWAUKEE, Sept. 14.—Lightweight Champion Wolgast broke training today and left for his home at Cadillac, Mich., following the calling off last night of his fight with McFarland. Tom Jones, manager for Wolgast, left for Chicago tonight, accompanied by Danny Morgan, who looks after "Knockout" Brown's interests. It is reported that Jones and Morgan are negotiating to match the boys before a New York club. Tom O'Rourke, of New York, tonight wired a Milwaukee newspaper offering a $20,000 purse for a contest between Wolgast and McFarland. Other clubs are said to be endeavoring to get the Wolgast-McFarland bout.

PLAY FOR AMATEUR GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP

RYE, N.Y., Sept. 14.—At the close of the fourth day of play in the amateur national golf championship, the American defense against British golfing supremacy, as represented by British Champion Harold H. Hilton of the Royal Liverpool club, rested on Charles W. Inslee of the Wykagyl club of New Rochelle, N.Y., and the winner of tomorrow's contest between Frederick Herreshoff, playing from the Ekwanck club of Manchester, Vt., and the French champion, Charles Evans, Jr., of the Edgewater club, Chicago. Hilton will play Inslee tomorrow.

Jerome D. Travers, of Upper Montclair, N. J., twice a national champion, made a gallant effort in the third round today to stop the British champion, but lost on the 34th green by a score of 3 down and 2 to play.

"Chick" Evans, after being 3 down at the end of the morning round, played good golf in the afternoon and disposed of Western Champion Albert Seckel of Riverside, Chicago, 2 up and 1 to play. Except for the first hole in the morning and a slight slump during the first three holes in the afternoon Hilton was always master of the situation and it was only by the most brilliant golf that Travers held him to the 34th green.

Hilton's golf was so perfect and smooth that his chances of carrying it through to the final green on Saturday afternoon were quoted tonight at 3 to 1 against the field.

Summary:

Hilton won from Travers, 3 up and 2.

Inslee won from Whittemore, 1 up.

Herreshoff won from Kirby, 6 up and 5.

Evans won from Seckel 2 up and 1.

Morris and Flynn

NEW YORK, Sept. 14.—Carl Morris, the Oklahoma giant, and Jim Flynn, the Pueblo fireman, will meet tomorrow night in Madison Square Garden in their long-postponed fight. The articles of agreement call for 10 rounds under straight Marquis of Queensberry rules. Charley White will referee, but no decision will be rendered. Morris will weigh about 230 pounds and Flynn about 180. Morris has come east with a record far above the ordinary, having knocked out seven men in seven fights, all of them inside of six rounds. Flynn is a rushing, punching fighter of the Tom Sharkey type.

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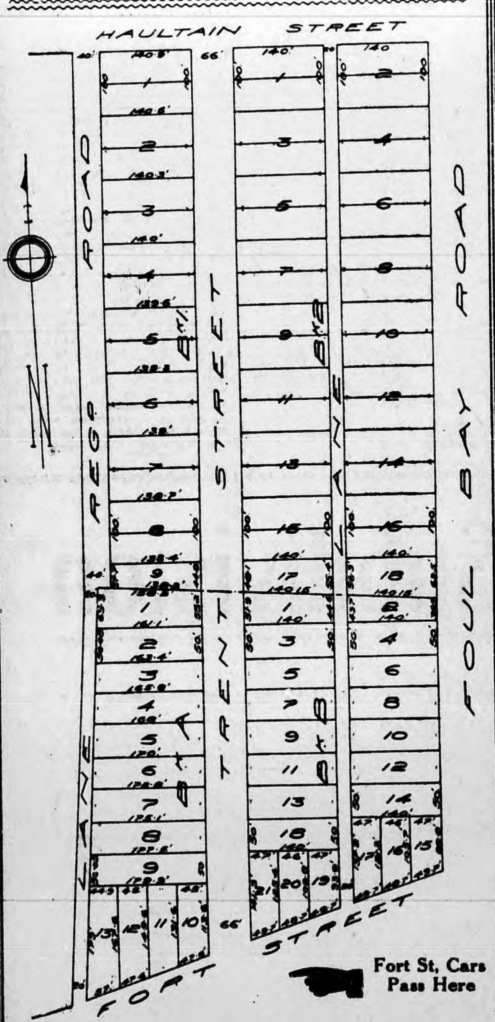

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COLUMBIA COAST MISSION HOSPITAL

Bishop Perrin Officiates at an Interesting Ceremony—New Structure Named "St. Michael's, Rock Bay"

The new hospital in connection with the Columbia Coast mission was dedicated by Bishop Perrin on Tuesday evening. The fire which burnt up the old hospital has been a blessing in disguise, for the present building is in every sense up-to-date. It is from the design of Mr. Tripp, architect of Vancouver, and the work has been carried out in the best style. The building is close to the wharf and is approached by a broad flight of steps. On the right of the hall is the office and dispensary, and there are two large wards with twelve beds in each at either end of the hospital, the middle space being occupied by private wards, the kitchen and an admirably fitted operating room. The quarters for the staff are on the upper storey. The wards and rooms are all furnished and ready for immediate use and three patients who have been cared for at the hotel will be at once removed to their comfortable quarters.

Bishop Perrin and the Rev. J. Antle, together with Dr. Schmitz, the nurses from Van Anda hospital, the Rev. G. Edge, of New Westminster, Mr. A. Greene, who has been working as lay missionary, and several visitors arrived from Vancouver in the Cowichan at 4 o'clock and the new mission steamer Columbia, gay with bunting, lay alongside the wharf.

The service was held at 7.30 when there was a large attendance of men from the logging camps and visitors from the neighborhood. Miss Monk, the matron in charge, had made all necessary preparations, and Miss Motherwill, another of the staff of nurses, was organist for the occasion. The bishop and clergy in their robes entered the hospital when the congregation had assembled in the hall. After the salutation, "Peace Unto This House," and prayers the bishop led the procession to each of the wards and the operating room, where appropriate psalms and prayers were said.

Dedicatory Address.

After the singing of a hymn the bishop gave an address in which he referred to the great privilege allowed to him in thus dedicating the third hospital, one at Van Anda, one at Alert bay and this new building, together with the fine mission boat which has taken the place of the first Columbia, it proved how wonderfully the work had been blessed from its small beginning five years ago, and he bore testimony to the splendid work that had been done by Mr. Antle, who had borne the strain from the start when in a small sailing boat he had gone on the ground. Too heavy a burden had been laid upon his shoulders and he was in need of a good long rest. The mission now (added the bishop) was established. It had been criticized, and had had its time of opposition. Other attempts had been made and organizations started, but they had failed and the Columbia Coast mission held the field, and was thoroughly appreciated by the loggers themselves which was shown by the fact that the turn-over now amounted to no less a sum than $30,000 a year, including the upkeep of three hospitals, the mission steamer, four doctors and six nurses. The bishop reminded his hearers of the fact that hospital really meant "guest house" it was in fact the same word as hotel, and urged upon those who were "guests" and "hosts"—the patients and the staff—ever to show true courtesy, to be at their best behaviour to each other.

The old building was called Queen's hospital, the new one to be styled St. Michael's, Rock bay. It has cost $10,000, of which about $2,000 has still to be collected. There ought to be no need of any personal applications for help. If the good that is being done amongst the 3,000 or 4,000 men in the logging camps and amongst the settlers were only realized the bishop would not have to ask twice to obtain the money that is required. Most thankfully will he receive any contributions to the work which is not known as it should be in the province. The singing of the hymn, "At Even Ere the Sun Was Set" and the benediction brought the service to a close, after which the visitors more carefully inspected the building and were one and all loud in their praises

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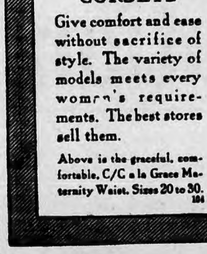

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HOW AND WHERE SIR WILFRID STANDS

A subscriber writes to ask if Sir Wilfrid Laurier was hostile to the sending of a Canadian contingent to the Boer war. The best answer to this question is furnished by an Ottawa despatch which appeared in the Toronto Globe, the organ of the Laurier government, on October 4, 1899, shortly after the war in South Africa broke out. The despatch, which appears in the Globe under an Ottawa date line, and is headed "The Prime Minister's Statement," records the following interview with Sir Wilfrid Laurier:

"There exists a great deal of misconception in the country regarding the powers of the government in the present case," said Sir Wilfrid. "As I understand the militia act, and I may say that I have given it some study of late, our volunteers are enrolled to be used in the defense of the Dominion. They are Canadian troops to be used to fight for Canada's defence. Perhaps the most widespread misapprehension is that they cannot be sent out of Canada. To my mind it is clear that cases might arise when they might be sent to a foreign land to fight. To postulate a case:—Suppose that Spain should declare war upon Great Britain. Spain has, or had, a navy, and that navy might be being got ready to assail Canada as part of the empire. Sometimes the best method of defending one's self is to attack, and in that case Canadian soldiers might certainly be sent to Spain, and it is quite certain that they legally might be despatched to the Iberian peninsula.

"The case of the South African republic is not analogous. There is no menace to Canada, and although no menace to Canada, and, although willing to contribute troops, I do not see how we can do so. Then, again, how could we do so without parliament's granting us the money? We simply could not do anything. In other words, we should have to summon parliament. The government of Canada is restricted in its powers. It is responsible to parliament, and it can do very little without the permission of parliament. There is no doubt as to the attitude of the government on all questions that mean menace to British interests, but in this present case our limitations are very clearly defined. And so it is that we have not offered a Canadian contingent to the home authorities. The militia department duly transmitted individual offers to the imperial government, and the reply from the war office, as published in Saturday's Globe, shows their attitude on the question.

"As to Canada's furnishing a contingent, the government has not discussed the question, for the reasons which I stated—reasons which, I think, must easily be understood by every one who understands the constitutional law on the question. The statement published in the Military Gazette this morning is a pure invention. Far from possessing any foundaton in fact, it is wholly imaginative."

On October 14, ten days after this interview was printed, the Globe announced: "A thousand Canadians will fight in the South African War."

AMERICAN VIEW OF CANADA'S DESTINY

There are some people so bent on calling a spade a spade that they will go out of their way to find occasion to show how downright they are in the matter of giving things their real name. And there are some newspapers in the United States that take similar pains to fasten the right name on the policy President Taft is endeavoring to carry out towards this country. They call it "annexation." The president does not want them to do so. He considers that a rose would smell as sweet by any other name, and he has particular reasons for not wishing his continental scheme to be publicly blasoned as annexation. It is the president's hope that annexation will become largely realized before the trusting Canadians become aware that that is what is happening to their country. To proclaim annexation as the design of his stealthy diplomacy would be ruinous to his plans. But, as we have said, there are newspapers in his country which blurt out what he is about. They think the annexation of Canada would be the greatest achievement of Washington statesmanship, and they like to dwell on the idea. We have quoted remarks of candid United States newspapers on this point from time to time, and we quote today what the St. Louis Globe-Democrat has to say on the subject. Here it is:

"Annexation to the United States is an eventuality of Canada's near or remote future. Manifest destiny has said it. Had Canada in 1776 been peopled by Englishmen she would have joined the thirteen colonies in the revolt against England, and have been included with us in the peace treaty of 1782. But Canada had been ceded by France to England only about a dozen years before the beginning of our revolution, and her French population cared less for political liberty than it did for the special privileges which George III. allowed to its church, which would have been denied in any scheme which the thirteen colonies would set up. Therefore Canada clung to England. Had our authorities at Washington granted the recognition to Astor on the Pacific coast during the war of 1812 which he asked, and which he had a right to expect, or had they extended to him the protection immediately afterward which he sought, we could have obtained the whole of the present British Columbia peacefully, and probably the rest of Canada would, long before this time, have asked for annexation. In either case Canada's present population of 7,500,000 would probably have been at least 20,000,000 by this time, and Montreal and Toronto would be in the class with Boston and St. Louis. **But there is still a prospect that the mistakes of the olden day will be corrected amicably, and that the Stars and Stripes will float all over the continent of North America, with Hudson bay as the nation's centre."**

HOPE THAT IS IN HEARTS OF AMERICANS

The Washington Star says: "But the Dominion may be and is being Americanized, though it is not being annexed. The English provinces are assimilating themselves to the Republic. The tone of the press and the tendency of public thought and action is American rather than European.

"The native Candian **is by birth an American,** but that name and all the modern history of his continent, and an intense nationality and national pride belong to the people of the great republic to the south of him, **with whom he may unite politically without reproach. He feels that he is alienated from the tendencies and aspirations of the continent of his birth; that he is merely a despised colonist, a species of political outcast, like man without a country, or a citizen of the District of Columbia.**

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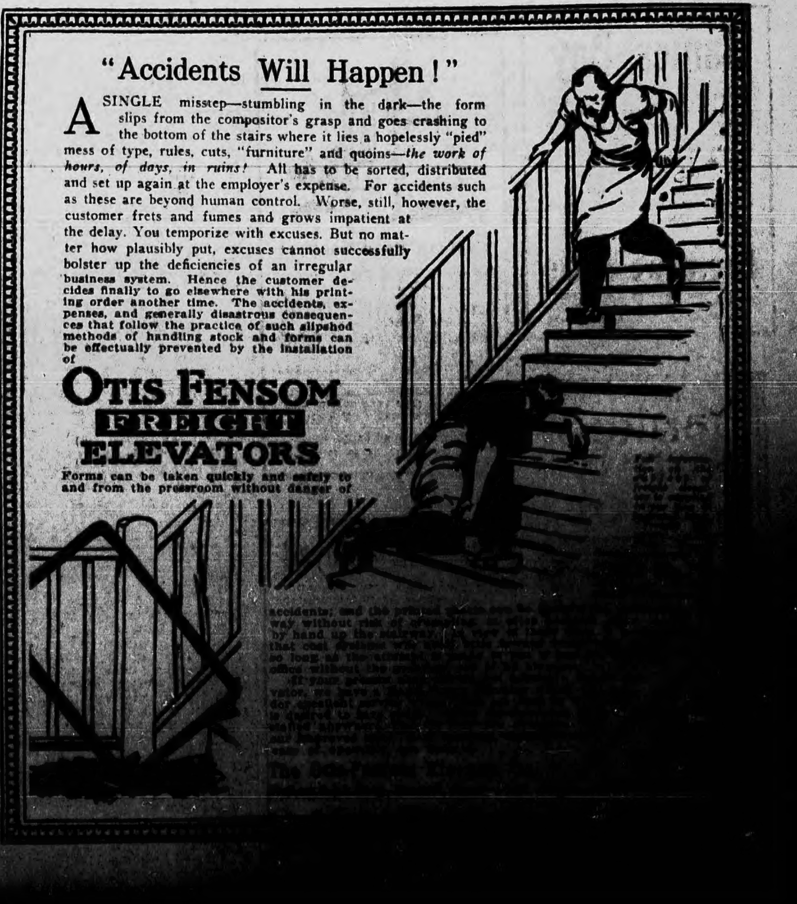
VALLEJO, Cal., Sept. 14.—The trial by courtmartial of Gunner Henry McEvery, U.S.N., whose wife committed suicide here September 5, was begun today at the Mare Island navy yard. McEvery is charged with drunkenness, conduct unbecoming an officer and a gentleman and scandalous conduct tending to the destruction of good morals. One specification says that he was intoxicated and quarreled with his wife the day of her death. It also is charged in the specifications that McEvery struck his wife on the day she was shot. McEvery pleaded not guilty to all the charges.



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Mr. G. H. Barnard to the Electors

If I am elected as the Conservative member for the City of Victoria on September 21st, the following will be my policy:

1. I pledge myself to make a standing fight on every opportunity which presents itself for the construction of all ships to be stationed on the Pacific Coast at British Columbia shipyards. The fact that higher wages are paid on the Pacific Coast than on the Atlantic will not deter me from making a strong fight against the construction of all the ships for the new Dominion navy on the Atlantic Coast.

2. One of my first efforts shall be to secure a new post office for Victoria. This is a need which has grown out of the rapidly increasing population and the present building is entirely inadequate for the requirements of the city.

3. I shall strongly advocate the payment to post office employees of wages commensurate with the services rendered. The present poor wages paid have led to the local post office being inadequately manned, and the service being consequently inefficient, involving delays in the handling of mail matter which have caused considerable inconvenience to the business community.

4. The need of harbor improvements in keeping with the growth of the port is a matter of vital importance. This port handles the second largest tonnage of any port in the Dominion. I will use my efforts to secure adequate appropriations for harbor improvements which will enable this port to take its proper rank among the ports of the Dominion.

5. Included in the scheme of harbor improvements which I will strongly advocate will be the building of a breakwater off the harbor entrance. I consider that the time has arrived when this scheme has become a port necessity, and even if it should cost the Dominion Government the sum of $2,000,000 or more, I will endeavor by every legitimate means to have it undertaken at the earliest possible moment.

6. In the last Dominion House I outlined my attitude on the need of an efficient fishery protection service. The wholesale poaching carried on by American fishermen during the past few weeks has further proved the utterly inadequate patrol which is maintained on this coast. I shall urge that this fishery protection patrol be increased by one or more fishery protection cruisers of a thoroughly up-to-date character, and of a speed of not less than sixteen knots.

7. I will urge with all my power that the fortifications of Esquimalt shall be restored to and maintained at a strength satisfactory to the Imperial War Office, and will strongly advocate the increase of the present force at Work Point Barracks to at least the point of strength at which it was maintained by the Imperial authorities.

8. The present Ottawa authorities have not lived up to their promises to the men on board the cruisers Rainbow and Niobe in the matter of giving extra pay for extra services. My policy shall be to urge in the new Dominion House that these promises be implemented, and that a similar scale of wages shall be maintained both in the naval and fishery protection services of the Dominion.

9. I am in favor of the absolute enforcement of the Alien Labor Act.

10. I shall oppose with all my power any effort which might be made to do away with the $500 head tax on Chinese coming into Canada. I do not consider that it would be possible for Canada to make a similar arrangement with China as exists with Japan because the government of the former Oriental power is so unstable.

11. As in the past in all matters connected with the welfare of the workingman I will consult with the duly authorised representatives of labor in this city and wherever possible I will urge that the wishes of these, as they affect labor, shall be given the utmost consideration.

12. I shall oppose by every means in my power any relaxation of the Immigration Laws, and will use my utmost endeavors to see that they are carried out in their entirety.

13. In the matter of railway construction in British Columbia I will urge that the Dominion Government shall bonus all legitimate undertakings which make for the benefit and prosperity of the people of this Province and of the Dominion as a whole.

14. My attitude on Reciprocity between Canada and the United States is well known. I shall continue to oppose Canada entering into any trade arrangement with a foreign power which may have a prejudicial influence on the ties which bind this country to the Motherland.

15. Lastly—I am for British connection first, last and all the time. I believe in Canada for the Canadians, and people of the British race, and I believe that the highest destiny which we can imagine for our country is to become the predominant partner in the greatest Empire that the world has ever known.

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Mackenzie and Mann to Finance Undertaking for the Electrification of the Okanagan District

It is authoritatively announced that Sir Wm. MacKenzie (now paying a business visit to Victoria), Sir Donald Mann and their associates, have purchased the rights and interests in the Okanagan of the Coteau Power Co., this meaning that the large project under consideration for some time past for the electrification of the Okanagan district, will now take definite and practical form, and construction of the long-hoped-for electric road from Shuswap Falls to Vernon be undertaken in the near future. Residents of the district concerned regard the transfer as meaning more than this—as indicating that MacKenzie & Mann will use this electrical line when built as an important feeder of their transcontinental system, diverting the trade and produce of the Okanagan valley Canadawards instead of to the States south of the boundary line.

The Coteau Power company found its inception in the efforts of W. C. Ricardo, G. A. Henderson and other prominent residents of the Okanagan to provide a cheap and adequate means of transportation for the fruit grown in the fertile region through which the projected electrical line will pass, and to furnish cheap electric power for industrial and manufacturing purposes. A charter was obtained some years ago from the Provincial government, and since then the promoters have been endeavoring to secure the capital necessary to carry forward their big undertaking. A visit was paid to Montreal last winter by Messrs. Ricardo, Henderson, Agur and Ashcroft, and as a result of their representations Mr. Neilson, a well known engineer, came out to investigate and report upon the scheme. It is understood that his report was eminently satisfactory; but for various reasons no action was taken, and this is the first intimation given the public that Mackenzie and Mann were interested in the project.

The power for the line will be generated at Shuswap Falls, about 26 miles from Vernon, and the electric road will pass through White Valley and Coldstream on to that city and thence link up the various Okanagan towns, proceeding onward to Enderby on the north and Kelowna on the south. Cheap power and cheap light are leading features of the plan, and the great impetus which it will give to all lines of business activity is too apparent to require comment.

It will be remembered that Mackenzie and Mann have repeatedly announced their intention of building a branch line of the Canadian Northern Pacific railway into the Okanagan from Kamloops, and have received a promise from Premier McBride that the government will asist in this enterprise to the extent accorded for their main line through the province. The fact that this enterprising firm of railway builders have now secured the Coteau charter seems to indicate beyond all doubt that they have determined to push forward their entry to the Okanagan, and make the electric line a feeder for their railway.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

The Choral Society

Sir:—On behalf of the Choral Society, Victoria, B.C., I desire, through the medium of this letter in your columns, to bring the needs of the Society to the notice of those persons in this city who are interested in the doings of musical people who give their time, talent and money for the purposes of entertaining others and bettering their own knowledge of choral singing.

The Choral Society was formed in January, 1910, due to the indefatigable efforts of a few music lovers, and has since, under the able direction of Mr. Gideon Hicks, given three concerts, April, 1910, November, 1910, and May, 1911. Every person connected with the Society gave his or her services gratuitously, and I merely mention this to impress the fact that the Society is not trying to make money. All the members subscribe for their own music and receive no tickets for concerts.

In May last an extraordinary general meeting of the Society was held, at which it was unanimously decided to double the membership fee and either give future concerts to a house guaranteed on the same lines as those of the Arion Club, or go out of business.

Personally, and my opinion is the same as many others, I think it would be a great mistake to give up the work the Society has so ably undertaken. The city council evidently appreciates the fact that a well conducted choral society is a distinct asset to any community and therefore allows us the use of the council chamber free of charge for practices.

Unfortunately, the Society has lost money at both of the last two concerts and it will take all the subscriptions of the members for the current year to clear up the indebtedness of the Society.

Within the next few weeks it is my intention to mail to as many persons as I know notices in connection with the proposed guaranteed houses for concerts in future. Unfortunately, however, I do not know everybody who would be interested, nor can I get the information necessary, and I have therefore taken this method, believing that you, sir, are thoroughly in accord with the aims and ambitions of the Society.

Subscriptions will be asked for two concerts per annum, to be given in the Victoria Theatre, one in midwinter and one about May 1st. Tickets for same will be allotted at [illegible] for two tickets for each concert, and so on in proportion. I desire those who do not receive notice direct to communicate with me, care of [illegible].

Only the very best music will be taken in hand, the programme for our next concert includes Coleridge-Taylor's "Hiawatha's Wedding-Feast," and glees by such authors as Mendelssohn and Sir Edward Elgar, with possibly the unsung portions of "Bon-bon Suite," by Coleridge-Taylor, which work we partly rendered last May.

There are openings in this Society for active members. We want readers, if possible, and good singers, the younger ones particularly, for no doubt they would derive great benefit as well as pleasure from taking part in the rehearsals.

ARTHUR WHEELER, Jr.,
Hon. Secretary.

A Trade Unionist's Views.

Sir,—I have been reading with interest the accounts and also the criticisms of the Times in reference to the recent cases of the infringements of the alien labor bill. In the first place I should like to point out that a large amount of the credit of bringing the prosecutions forward and to such a successful issue is due to Mr. Fred Webb, who is a delegate of Union Local No. 5 to which I have the honor to belong. I might add in passing that he was simply doing his duty and in my opinion did it very well, whereas if he had taken no notice of the matter he would have been very lax. If the Times were to give a little credit to where it is due instead of trying to belittle Mr. Barnard in the eyes of the electors on this subject, I rather think it would be doing more good to its own cause but, by the way, it places the matter before the public, it seems to me that no matter whether it was the alien labor bill or the immigration act that the prosecutions came under, the whole thing was wrong simply because there was going to be an election in the near future and it was sure to be made an election cry if successful (which was a doubtful issue until the last moment) by the Conservative candidate.

I am an ordinary working man (English and proud of it) and "used" to think that the Times was a working man's paper, but when that paper passes over such cases which are of such vital interest to the Victoria workman in such a manner as to give one the conviction that because Mr. Barnard spoke on the subject at a political meeting at the A. O. U. W. hall, it must assuredly be wrong, then I say I can't see where the Times proves its friendliness to the worker. I was present at that meeting and must say that Mr. Barnard has fulfilled the promises he made. Although there have been only two prosecutions in Victoria under this act, I am given to understand that infringements are happening (or have been) almost daily and if the Times were to use some of its superfluous energy to inquiring into these matters instead of attacking individuals who have the well being of the community at heart, it might gain a little of the prestige which it now lacks.

W. HAROLD NIX.

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Big Irrigation Contract.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 14.—A contract for the construction of three dams and eight and a half miles of canals on the Flathead, Montana, irrigation project awarded to a Prosser, Wash., firm, has been approved by Acting Secretary of the Interior Adams.

Typhoid Germs in Wells.

MONTREAL, Sept. 14.—A report was made to the civil health authorities this morning by the doctors of the provincial board of health concerning the alarming state of the wells throughout the rural districts. The provincial officers have made a thorough investigation and find that the wells are a prolific source of disease, and many artesian wells were found to be contaminated with typhoid germs.

Alleged Murderer.

SASKATOON, Sept. 14.—With the charge of a double murder hanging over him and with a third victim mortally wounded, Jim Alick, a homesteader who is located six miles from Vanscoy and about thirty miles from the city, is now under arrest and is being brought to Saskatoon by the R. N. W. M. P. It is alleged, according to the meagre details that have been secured, that yesterday Alick shot his father-in-law, mother-in-law and wife and that he was arrested while on his way into Vanscoy, although another report is that he was making to Battleford when taken. Jealousy with regard to his wife is said to be the cause of the crime.

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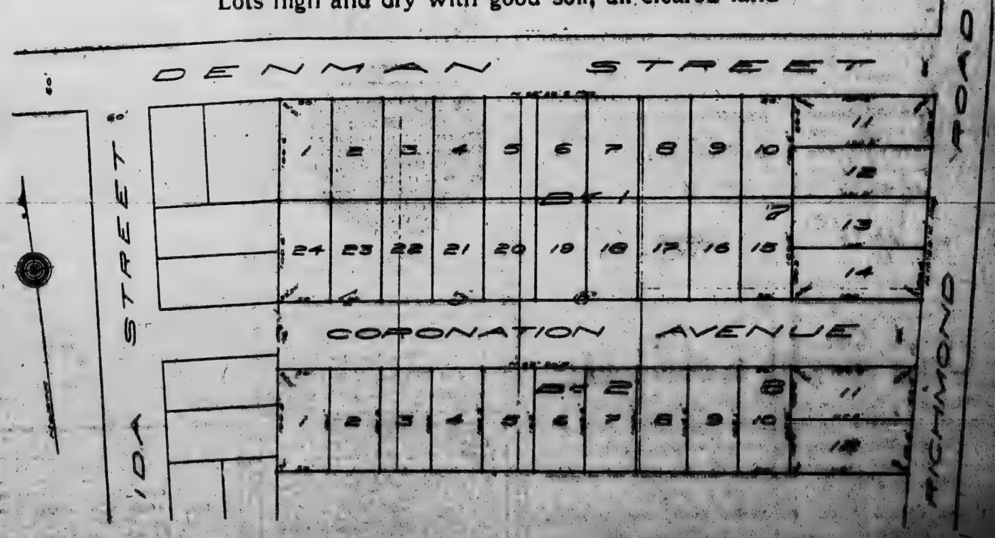

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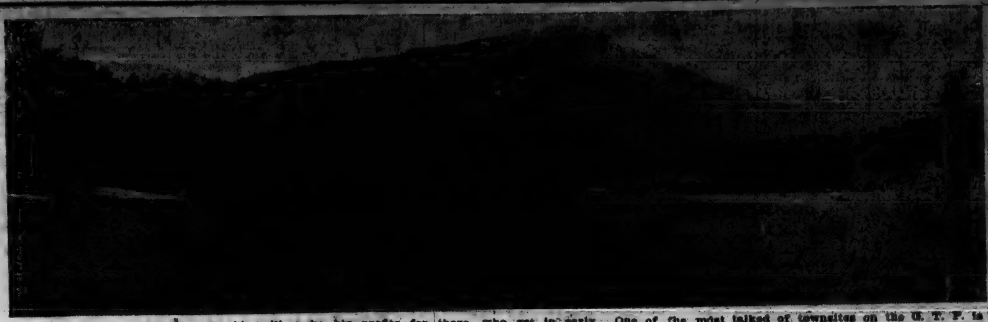

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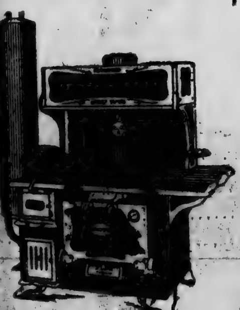

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Failure of Seamanship Held to be Responsible for Great Loss of Life in Wreck of Vessel

Capt. A. A. Sears, master and part owner of the steamer Iroquois lost off Sidney on April 10 with a loss of 21 lives has had his certificate as a master mariner cancelled; Wm. Thompson, engineer, had his papers suspended for nine months, and John Isbister, chief officer, had his papers suspended for six months, as a result of the finding of the marine court composed of Mr. Justice Martin and Capts. A. Reid and C. D. Neroutsos, sitting as nautical assessors, given yesterday morning. It was found that Captain Sears had failed in ability as a seaman, Mate Isbister was incompetent, but his good work in saving life was taken into consideration, and the engineer was punished for leaving his engines while in motion. The judgment in full was as follows:

The Judgment.

On the morning of the 10th day of April, 1911, the screw steamer Iroquois of the awning deck type, Albert A. Sears, master, registered at Victoria, No. 107822, registered tonnage 94.38, length 83 feet, depth 8.1, built of wood at Port Moody, B. C., in 1900, and licensed to carry 65 passengers with freight or 100 passengers on excursions, foundered about three-quarters of a mile from Sydney wharf, V. I., on approaching Canoe Pass, about one-half mile off Shell island, whereby about 21 lives were lost. She had left the wharf about 9 o'clock, the master being in charge, and there was a strong S. E. wind blowing with hard squalls and the tide was at the last of the ebb or slack water, according to the tide tables.

After having heard the evidence of a great number of witnesses in the course of the hearing, which occupied eleven days, this court has reached the following conclusions:

1. That the disaster was caused by the fact that shortly after leaving the wharf the ship became subject to a heavy beam sea which made her roll violently and owing to the improperly distributed weight, with a disregard of ballasting and a negligent manner of stowing cargo, which caused the latter to shift during the heavy rolling, her stability was impaired to such a degree that it rendered her recovery impossible, and this was accentuated by the improper stowing of twenty-six bales of hay and a ton and a half of iron bars on the promenade deck. We are unable to accept the explanation offered by the master that the loss of the ship was occasioned by her being damaged by a dislodged pile before leaving the wharf; the evidence not being sufficient to support such a theory.

2. The result of the ship heeling to said extent was rendered more dangerous by the final submersion of improperly protected apertures, that is to say, the windows on the main deck, which to their faulty construction, being merely drop window sashes glazed with common glass, were useless to keep out or prevent for any appreciable time the inrush of water. If these apertures had been properly constructed ports, or even if the windows had been provided with properly fitted deadlights, the reserve buoyancy of the ship might have been maintained, or at least maintained long enough to give time to beach the vessel, as was attempted to be done, the shore being the short distance of half a mile way.

We are of the opinion that in the construction of ships of this class, windows of this type should be prohibited in any portion of the ship where her reserve buoyancy could be impaired by the entrance of water, and their presence in the Iroquois was a violation of Section 14 of Part VII. of the Inspection Rules, which requires that "All gangways and openings on, or below weather deck should be fitted with covers in such a manner that they can be quickly and efficiently secured."

3. With respect to the boats, after an inspection of them in the light of the evidence, we did not find them to be wanting in number of cubic capacity, but they were not "built whale-boat fashion," as required by Sec. 1, Subsection (d) of Part VIII. of the Inspection Rules, and they were of defective construction in two main particulars, viz: (1) the thwarts were placed only five inches below the level of the gunwale, thereby rendering it impossible for the rowers to handle the oars properly—the standard distance being ten inches; and (2) the gunwale was of so light and weak construction that it could not properly be described as a gunwale, being unable to hold the rowlock, and this also rendered the boats unduly liable to such damage as in fact occurred in this disaster when both boats were so badly damaged that they were unfit for their intended purpose. In his answers to the court the inspector of hulls and equipment, John C. Kinghorn, admitted that he was aware of the defective position of the [illegible] that the thwarts were a little high up," and also that the gunwhales were inadequate, and that the boats were not "built whale-boat fashion," but sought to justify himself by referring us to Sec. 13, Sub-sec. (d), which provides that:

Inspector's Duties

"(a) In carrying these instructions into effect, inspectors are to be careful not to interfere unnecessarily with boats supplied previous to 1904 in accordance with the rules of 1897; but in the case of new boats coming under survey for the first time, as well as in all cases in which the fittings, or the boats require renewal, the rules contained in these instructions are to be strictly adhered to. This also applies to the other equipments required on board the steamboat."

But in our opinion this section affords him no excuse because under no circumstances could it be said that to insist upon such essential matters as properly constructed thwarts and gunwhales and approved designs would be "interfering unnecessarily" with boats supplied previous to 1904 or any other time. And we further are of the opinion that the time has come when all distinctions in equipment based upon the year in which it was supplied should be abolished, for there is no good reason why the public should be less safe in ships built before 1904 than after that date.

The court cannot leave this phase of the matter without expressing its belief that had the boats been constructed and maintained according to the inspection rules the loss of life would have been considerably lessened.

4. With respect to the engineer, William Thomson, and the fireman, Andrew Olson, it is established by the evidence that the latter was allowed to keep the afternoon watch just as though he had been a certificated engineer, a thing which is prohibited and penalized by Secs. 641 and 660 of the Shipping act, as amended in 1908, Secs. 20 and 22. The harmful consequences of this unlawful arrangement became evident at the time of the accident, when, instead of the fireman being in the engine room attending to his duties he was engaged in eating his breakfast, so that when the disaster occurred the engineer had to temporarily leave his engines, as hereafter mentioned, with no one in charge of them. The court feels it necessary to remark upon the difficulty experienced in finding out the exact position held and duties performed by the said Olsen, there being an obvious attempt to conceal them, but this difficulty would not have arisen had the crew signed articles of agreement as required by the statute: Secs. 162 et seq. or 328 et seq., which can be signed before any "responsible witness." It was surprising to learn from Captain Sears that he had never thought it necessary to comply with the statute in this respect, the excuse given being that he had never been called upon by the proper authorities to do so.

Inadequate Arrangements

5. There does not appear to have been any proper means of communication between the wheel house and the engine room, the consequence being that when the master wished to speak to the engineer he would blow his steam whistle to attract his attention, and at the time in question when the engineer wished to communicate with the master when matters were reaching the acute stage he left his engines and went up on deck to report to the purser, telling him to inform the captain of the danger. Such a condition of affairs emphasizes the necessity of enforcing to the fullest extent the provisions of Sec. 621 of the Shipping Act requiring "tubes of proper size so arranged as to transmit the sound of the engine bells to the pilot house, or other arrangement approved by the inspector to repeat back the signal." It is difficult to understand why, if this tube had been installed and was in good order, it was not made use of on this occasion. While we realize that in small vessels of this class an elaborate or expensive system would be out of place yet there is no reason why by means of a cheap and simple fixture the sound tube should not be utilized as a voice tube.

6. We repeat the recommendation of this court made in the judgment in the Sechelt case on the 1st instant, regarding the appointment of new inspectors who should carry out their duties strictly and not confine their inspections to stated intervals but make them when unexpected, and add that in the course of this and other recent investigations the necessity for a thorough revision of the Shipping Act and Rules made thereunder, has become apparent so as to remove many existing anomalies and supply deficiencies to meet present conditions, some of which have been already noticed. This is not the occasion to refer to them in detail, with one exception in regards to deckloads, about which so much has been said in the present case. In this relation we observe that while Secs. 714-5 of the act as amended in 1908 Sec. 25, contain certain salutary provisions respecting the carrying of deck loads of lumber by ships in winter, yet they are expressly stated not to apply to British Columbia. This court confesses itself unable to understand why the owners or masters should not be compelled to take the same precautions for the safety of their ships in British Columbia as elsewhere.

7. Finally, and with respect to the officers, the court finds that:

(a) The mate, John Isbister, was incompetent and responsible for the negligent and improper stowage of the cargo inasmuch that although he had ample time to stow and secure it so as not to impair the stability of the ship, and also to prevent its shifting, yet he failed to perform his duty in this respect and neglected to do so. In such circumstances his certificate should be and is hereby suspended for a period of [illegible] would have been increased had it not been proved in evidence that he materially assisted in saving life when the wreckage drifted ashore. But for the better protection of the public in future his certificate shall not be restored to him at the expiration of the said period unless he shall before that time have satisfied the Examiner of Masters and Mates of his sufficient knowledge of the stowage of cargo.

In this relation it is to be observed that the rules and regulations governing the examination of masters and mates of coasting and inland waters, 1907, only require that mates in the coasting trade "must have served two years at sea." But seeing that even an A. B. is required by the Merchant Shipping Act, 1906, Sec. 58, to serve three years before the mast it seems anomalous and inexplicable that an officer should be permitted to have less sea service as his qualification than an A. B. Furthermore, the rules for the examination of mates require revision generally so as to insure greater efficiency.

(b) That William Thomson, the engineer, left the engine room, of which he was the officer in charge, while the engines were in motion, before circumstances warranted him in doing so, and he also failed to realize his additional general responsibility and duty as an officer of the ship as well as an engineer. His conduct all through the disaster appears to have been on the principle of "everybody for himself," to use his own expression to the purser, and therefore his certificate should be, and it is hereby suspended for a period of nine months from this date.

Failed in Duty

(c) With respect to Albert A. Sears, the master, while no fault is to be found with his conduct after he reached the shore from the wreck, and the harsh comments made about him in that respect were not justified by the evidence, yet he failed to perform his duty in either personally making a more determined effort to rescue the people in the water, or alternatively in staying by the wreck to the last, and sending the mate to their assistance. Also, in addition to his general responsibility as regards the stowing of the cargo he assumed responsibility that morning for the negligent and improper stowage thereof by not having ordered any other alteration after inspecting the same than the placing of a dunnage grating under some of it.

Also, he failed in his ability as a seaman and master of the vessel in allowing the boats in their damaged and unseaworthy condition to leave the wreck when they could have remained attached to and under the lee of the same, with considerable prospect of safety.

In such circumstances and in view of the deplorable consequence of his failure as aforesaid, the court feels, after considering his conduct in the most favorable light possible, that it would not, in the public interest, be just or safe to allow him any longer to retain his master's certificate, and therefore the same is hereby cancelled.

(Signed)
ARCHER MARTIN, J., Adm.
A. HEURTLEY REED,
C. D. NEROUTSOS,
Assessors.

Dated this 14th day of September, 1911.

AWA MARU AT OUTER WHARF

Nippon Yusen Kaisha Liner Brings Many Passengers—British Consul from Scene of Chinese Rebellion

The steamer Awa Maru of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha, Capt. T. Irisawa, reached the outer wharf yesterday morning from the Orient with 192 passengers, including 18 in the saloon and a good cargo, including 718 tons for Victoria. Among the passengers of the Awa Maru was Mr. H. A. Little, British Consul at Ichang, four miles from the Yangtsze Gorges, the nearest outport to the scene of the rising in Szechuan for where the refugees are now making from the missions at Chengtu. The rising came as a surprise to Mr. Little, as when he left the district was quiet and there was no sign of impending trouble. He thinks the Chinese government will speedily put down the outbreak as the conditions are such that the government can collect troops much better than in the past, and, as is usual in rebellious China, there is probably no cohesion among the rebels. When he came down the Yangtsze river from Ichang the river was greatly swollen as a result of the disastrous floods which wiped out cities and snuffed out thousands of lives, and which will probably be followed by one of the greatest famines China has ever known. The river steamer on which he travelled to Hankow at times steamed through the fields instead of following the river, navigated over the area that had been farm lands before the flood.

Mrs. O'Shea and Miss Grace O'Shea, wife of the proprietor of the China Times of Shanghai, were passengers from the Model Settlement. They are en route to New York, where Miss O'Shea will continue her musical studies which she was recently carrying on in Paris. She took part during her stay in Japan in some concerts given at the Imperial Theatre at Tokyo, singing with Madame Shibata, a lyric soprano, the first Japanese woman to sing in the European style. Miss O'Shea has a rich contralto voice and some unique effects reproduced in Japanese vernacular papers [illegible]

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Passengers Aboard.

Lieut. M. Yabu, of the Japanese navy, was a passenger, en route to Washington, D. C., where he will join the Japanese legation as a naval attache. Prof. John C. Ballagh, who has been conducting a school in Tokyo for many years, arrived on a visit to the eastern states. Vice Consul Leonard Bourseant, who has been in the Belgian consul service in Japan, came by the steamer en route to Ottawa. Other arrivals were Mr. E. S. Sheldon, a professor of dead languages, and family, H. Tilly, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. North, G. O. Otto, A. Earle, J. A. Howard, H. L. Brown, L. D. Miller and Master Carlisle McIvor. There were 16 second class passengers and 158 steerage, including 22 Japanese and 102 Chinese for Victoria and 29 Japanese and 1 Chinese and 4 Russians for Seattle.

The cargo included 763 bales of raw silk, 146 cases of silk and linen goods and 34 cases of waste silk, a shipment worth much over half a million dollars. There was also 17,165 cases of tea, 2,229 cases of firecrackers, 6,650 packages of bean oil cake from Manchuria, and big shipments of bulbs, peanuts, braid, rice, miso, soy, and the usual Japanese provisions.

The steamer encountered heavy weather when two days out from Japan, and thick fog prevailed when she was nearing the island coast. After discharging the cargo for Victoria the steamer proceeded to Seattle yesterday afternoon. The freight landed here was made up as follows: Lily bulbs, 2,882 cases; beans, 166 bags tea, 1,124 cases; shoyu, 539 cases; peanuts, 200 bags; rice, 1,290 bags; sugar, 850 mats; bran, 1,727 bags; Chinese spirit, 341 tubs; Onions, 270 bags; Salted provisions, 65 cases; soy, 25 tubs; merchandise, 1,324 packages; Total, 10,923 packages.

Leper in Box Car

In quarters built especially for him on the deck of the United States army transport Dix and guarded day and night by members of the crew, Aciete Palabay, a Filipino leper who was taken into custody by officers of the United States marine hospital service at Washington, D. C., will be returned to the Philippines. Palabay is being spirited across the country in a box car and is expected to arrive in Seattle today.

Panama Maru Reported

The steamer Panama Maru, of the Osaka Shosen Kaisha line, was reported by Wireless early yesterday morning when 1,800 miles from Estevan. The steamer was in 50 deg. north and 146.22 deg. west, and reported that she would reach Victoria on Wednesday next.

Henley to Sail

The steamer Henley, of the Canadian-Mexican line, is scheduled to leave the outer wharf today for Mexican ports.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

By Government Wireless.

8 a. m.

Point Grey—Overcast; wind, S. E., moderate; 29.78; 55; heavy seaward; sea moderate.

Cape Lazo—Overcast; wind, S. E.; strong gale; heavy seaward, 29.29; 55; sea rough. Spoke Northwestern southbound, passed here at 7:30 a. m.

Tatoosh—Light rain; wind, S. E. 10 miles; 29.59; 56; sea smooth. Out, Maverick at 6 p. m.; barkentine Archer at 2:05 a. m.; Strathspey and schooner Annie M. Campbell at 7:15 a. m.

Pachena—Raining; wind, S. E., strong gale; 29.51; 50; sea moderate. Tees, eastbound at 6:15 a. m.

Estevan—Raining; wind, S. E., strong gale; 29.38; 53; sea rough. Spoke Sado Maru at 2:30 a. m., position at midnight lat. 51:22 north, long. 131:45 west; Panama Maru, at 2:30 a. m., position at 12 p. m. lat. 50:01 north, long. 146:22 west; 1,800 miles from Estevan.

Triangle—Foggy; raining; wind, S. E. 70 miles; 29.64; 48; dense seaward; sea rough. Spoke Princess Royal, at 6:15 a. m. off Pine Island, northbound; Dolphin at 1:30 a. m., off Egg Island, southbound.

Ikeda—Raining; wind, S. E.; strong gale; 29.90; 56; sea rough.

Prince Rupert—Raining; wind, S. E., strong gale; 29.90; 54; sea rough.

Dead Tree Point—Cloudy; wind, S. E., strong gale; sea rough.

Noon.

Point Grey—Raining; wind, S. E.; heavy seaward; 29.60; sea smooth.

Cape Lazo—Raining; wind, S. E.; strong gale; 29.55; 56; sea rough.

Tatoosh—Light rain; wind, S. E. 20 miles; 29.77; 56; sea moderate.

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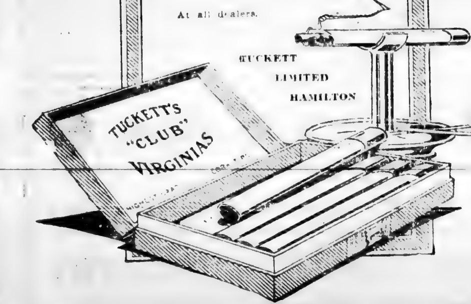

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JAPAN PROVIDES FOR COMPENSATION

Tokyo Government Not as Backward as Ottawa in Arranging to Recoup Sealers for Loss of Profits

While the Liberal government at Ottawa has not made any arrangement to compensate the Canadian sealers deprived of their industry as a result of the recent treaty entered into for the stoppage of sealing at sea for a period of 15 years the Japanese government has taken steps to provide for compensation of the Japanese sealers who were placed in a similar position as a result of the treaty. Japanese newspapers received by the Awa Maru yesterday state that an appropriation to compensate the sealers will be included in the budget this year. Provision was made in the treaty for a similar advance to Japan of $200,000 as that made to Canada by the United States to be paid back from the proceeds of the interest of the countries in the sale of the seals killed on the rookeries. The sum will be augmented by the Japanese government. The amount of compensation to be given by Japan is not stated.

The claim put in by the Victoria Sealing company, which controls the bulk of the local schooners, amounted to $500,000. The Canadian government will receive over six times that amount from the proceeds of its share in the seal rookeries.

ANOTHER COMPANY FOR COAST WHALING

Balfour Guthrie & Co. Orders Construction of Three Steamers at the Moran Yards, Seattle.

Another whaling company is to start work with stations on the coast of Washington near the entrance to the Straits. Contracts for construction of three steam whalers, oil-burning and built of steel, yesterday were left by Alexander Baillie, Pacific Coast representative of Balfour, Guthrie & Co., to the Moran Company, of Seattle. Work will be commenced at once.

The new craft will be identical in type with the steel whalers Paterson and Moran, launched a few months ago at the Moran Company's ship yards. These vessels are already in commision. They have a speed at better than eleven knots an hour, and when they were put in commission they were fully equipped with whaling guns and all necessary paraphernalia.

The whalers to be built by the Moran Company for Mr. Baillie will go into commission during the winter and will operate in the waters of the North Pacific, off the coast of Washington, British Columbia and Alaska. They will cost about $185,000 in the aggregate.

The tug Resolute, which has returned to Seattle from the coast whaling stations in southeastern Alaska, reports that the whalers had a good season. This year the whalers operated principally in Alaska bay, Marmot Bay, Yakutat bay and off Cape Omaney, Port Armstrong and Kodiak island, which includes territory that is practically virgin for the whalers. Whales were found unusually plentiful in Aletak bay, where the steamers sometimes killed as many as eight a day.

DIVERS GO TO RECOVER GOLD

Party Leaves on Humboldt for Scene of Ramona Wreck to Endeavor to Save $150,000 in Bullion.

Bound for Spanish island, the scene of the wreck of the steamship Ramona, where an effort will be made to recover the treasure cargo of $150,000 worth of gold bullion which is in the sunken vessel's hold, Capt. E. L. McNoble, of the Pacific Steamship company has sailed from Seattle for Alaska on the steamship Humboldt.

Capt. McNoble was accompanied by three divers, Henry S. Finch, Henry S. Finch Jr., and T. Finch, and Capt. E. C. Genereaux, of the San Francisco board of marine underwriters. The party will go on the Humboldt to Wrangell, where they will take a tug with a barge in tow for the scene of the wreck.

Capt. McNoble will not only attempt to recover the treasure cargo, but also the shipment of canned salmon, which is valued at nearly $80,000, and the baggage of the Ramona's passengers.

May Try to Raise Her

The vessel's hull will be examined, and if she is not too badly damaged an effort will be made to raise her in the near future. However, she lies in an exposed position and there is little hope of saving her. Only the top of the steamship's smokestack and masts show above water even at low tide and she has listed badly.

The steamer Northwestern reached Seattle last night with the survivors of the Ramona.

JAPANESE SEALERS ARE RANSACKED

Patrolling Cruiser Manjuria Overhauls Eight Vessels Off Copper Islands —Raiders Arrested.

News was brought by the Awa Maru that the Russian patrol cruiser Manjuria found a fleet of eight Japanese schooners hovering off the Kommanderofski island rookeries on July 31st, and they were boarded and their arms and sealskins seized. Russia maintains a prescribed zone of thirty miles about the Russian seal islands, but the Japanese, who have been permitted to hunt to within three miles of the Pribyloffs, although the regulations as they apply to the Canadian schooners provide for a sixty mile limit, and the Japanese schooners were all within fifteen miles or less from the rookery. The schooners were have to under threat of firing on them and armed parties were sent on board, the schooners being thoroughly searched and all rifles and furs taken. The masters were informed that if they returned to Russian waters the vessels would be seized. Shortly before this two boats' crews from the Japanese sealer Chitose Maru No. 2, and a boat from the Sefu Maru were captured by the Manjuria when attempting a raid on the Copper island rookery. They were arrested and taken on board the warship. The schooners overhauled off the Komanderofski islands were the Iwaki Maru, Toyei Maru No. 1, Chitose Maru No. 2, Bose Maru No. 1, Hokuyo Maru, Gongen Maru, Tokiwa Maru and Toyoshige Maru, which vessel sailed for Oginoshima to report the occurrence, arriving there on August 23rd. The other sealers deprived of their firearms, were also returning to Japan.

SIGHTED SCHOONER IN DISTRESS

Steamer Harpalion Reports Lumber Vessel in Trouble 200 Miles South of Cape Flattery.

Capt. W. E. Pope, master of the British steamship Harpalion, now at Bremerton, reported a peculiar experience while his vessel was about 200 miles from Cape Flattery, bound for Puget Sound. The Harpalion sighted a schooner lumber-laden flying a signal requesting the master of the collier to come oboard. The schooner had all of her sails set and was making good speed for a vessel of her class, and Capt. Pope was at a loss to know why he was wanted aboard. He could se no signs of distress and decided to continue his course.

The signal which the schooner displayed is only raised in case of sickness or acident, but as the vessel did not slacken her speed Capt. Pope did not attempt to go near her. He went to the Merchants' Exchange at Seattle to inquire if any other vessel had reported the schooner.

The Harpalion sailed from Newport News July 1 with a cargo of 50,000 tons of Atlantic range coal, which she is discharging at the navy yard at Bremerton.

Candidate Returning.

The steamer Candidate of the Harrison Direct line, left San Francisco yesterday enroute for the Yukon on her return voyage.

Teucer at London

Cable advices report the arrival of the steamship Teucer, of the Blue Funnel line, at London last Tuesday. The vessel sailed from Victoria June 14 for Europe by way of the Orient.

Venture Delayed

The steamer Venture, of the Boscowitz Steamship company reached Vancouver yesterday morning from the north with a big cargo of canned salmon, and owing to rain interfering with the work of discharge the steamer will not reach Victoria until noon today. She will sail for the north this afternoon as soon as the cargo can be loaded.

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GOLD ON RAMONA

Effort Will Be Made to Recover Treasure of Treadwell Mine and Other Cargo

SEATTLE, Sept. 14.—When the steamship Ramona foundered and sank off the Spanish Island, Alaska, last Sunday night, she carried down with her $18,000 of gold bullion from the Treadwell mine, consigned to San Francisco. The ship lies in water that is usually smooth, and it is thought the treasure will be recovered easily.

Captain E. C. Genereaux, representing the San Francisco board of underwriters, sailed for Alaska today to make a survey of the wreck with a view to salvage of cargo or possibly raising the vessel. At Wrangel a tug will be chartered to assist in the operations. The Northwestern, with the passengers and crew of the Ramona, is due in Seattle tomorrow afternoon.

Captain Genereaux was accompanied by Captain E. L. M. Noble, of the Pacific Coast Steamship company, and three divers. An effort will be made to recover not only the treasure, but the $8,000 cargo of canned salmon and the passengers' baggage.

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ATLANTIC TRAFFIC AND IRISH PORTS

Premier Morris of Newfoundland Makes Promise to Galway—Blackrod and Killary Bay Schemes

DUBLIN, Sept. 14.—Following the visit of Sir Edward Morris, the Newfoundland premier, to Galway, and his promise, which is understood to have been followed by that of Canada, of a substantial subsidy to the scheme for making Galway a transatlantic port, the project has attracted fresh attention. For many years past the claims of different Irish ports—Blacksod Bay, Galway and Killary—to be created termini of ocean transport services have been advocated, but the difficulties from the financial, the commercial and the technical standpoints have hitherto proved insurmountable. These difficulties remain, and a careful consideration of the whole question suggests that unless imperial interests are deemed to be at stake in the matter, the case of the Irish ports named being made the main ports for British transatlantic traffic has not geen fully proved.

It is generally forgotten that many years ago steamboat communication was opened between Galway and America, but the service for various reasons was a failure. The main features of the Galway scheme from the commercial standpoint are that there is a good roadstead, that the existing line of railway between Galway and Dublin is the shortest and most direct, and that the route would shorten the ocean journey to Halifax to 3 1-2 days, or if Trepassy in Newfoundland were selected as the port on the other side, to 2 3-4 days, at present steamship speeds. The actual economy in distance, as compared with the voyage from Liverpool to New York, is 365 miles to Halifax and 1,400 miles to Newfoundland.

The Killary Bay scheme may be considered in connection with the Galway project. It was proposed that mails should be landed at Killary, which should be connected with Galway by a line of railway 16 miles in length, and that the sea route should be between Killary and Notre Dame Bay, otherwise known as Green Bay, on the north-east coast of Newfoundland, 200 miles north of St. John's. The distance between the two ports is 1,700 miles. Mails and passengers landing at Notre Dame Bay would have a railway journey of 80 miles to the Bay of Islands, and would thence cross by boat to Gaspe, in Quebec, a distance of 275 miles.

The project for opening up a new railway and steamboat route from England to Canada, via Dublin and Blacksod Bay, was first put forward 75 years ago, when a company was proposed with a capital of $15,000,000, and a prospectus issued. The duration of the sea voyage from Blacksod Bay to Canada was then estimated at seven days, whereas under the modern scheme for making Blacksod Bay a transatlantic port the full journey from London to Halifax would be performed in four days. The project provides for the construction of a deep water pier and other harbor works at Blacksod Bay, and for the construction of a line of railway about 83 miles long from Blacksod to Collooney, which would place the port in direct rail communication with the Irish railway system, and give communication with London via Larne or Dublin. The sea route from Blacksod Bay to Halifax is 2,100 miles. The promoters of the Blacksod Bay scheme intended, in the event of a subsidy of $1,500,000 being granted, to raise a capital of $25,000,000.

Thesh are the main points in the schemes for establishing transatlantic ports on the west coast of Ireland, and it would seem that they are all open to serious criticism from the financial and commercial standpoints. All the proposals in the first place provide for the adoption of train ferry transport across the Irish sea, probably between Holyhead and Kingstown, a distance of 57 miles, and although the engineering difficulties could be overcome, arrangement would have to be made to provide for the difference in guage of English and Irish railways, which is 4 ft. 8 1-2 in. and 5 ft. 3 in. respectively, and it is doubtful if enough would be gained by the establishment of a train ferry to justify the cost. It is recognized that at Galway a large sum would have to be expended on harbor improvements, the necessary expenditure being estimated by the promoters at $7,500,000. Another important point, and this applies to Blacksod as well as to Galway, is that the sea route is north of that now followed, and, indeed, is in the latitude of the fog belt, so that the anticipation as to the duration of the voyage could only be realized in fine weather. If the time table of 3 1-2 days to Halifax and 2 3-4 days to Trepassy could be kept, then the route could be worked with a smaller fleet than a Liverpool service, and that would be an advantage. But there is room for some doubt whether the average passenger would be prepared to pay the price for the probable saving in time, or be attracted by a scheme the main feature of which is the shortening of the ocean voyage. There is the fact, however, that the Galway scheme is supported by Canada as well as Newfoundland, and it is stated that assurances of support have been forthcoming from shipping interests.

The best argument in favor of these Irish port schemes would appear to be their advantage on national grounds, the case for which was excellently put by Admiral Sir Cryprian Bridge at the recent Imperial Conference. He then pointed out that the route to Blacksod Bay from the principal areas which furnish Great Britain's food supplies has the great strategic advantage of being more remote from a probable enemy's base of operations than other routes, while its distance from England's own naval bases offers no disadvantage. It is in great measure protected by its position alone, and the naval forces necessary to defend it and keep it open in war time might therefore be smaller than the force required of any other line of communication passing to the United Kingdom. The promoters of the Galway route also lay stress upon the Imperial aspect of the question, and upon the advantages of accelerating the mail services between Great Britain ond America. The Imperial arguments seem sound enough, but the commercial case is by no means convincing.

Hon. Frank Oliver.

Mr. R. Borden, in his speech at Montreal the other day, made the following reference to the charges against Hon. Frank Oliver:

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Asleep on Track

REDDING, Cal., Sept. 14.—Albert O'Connell, a logger, went to sleep on the railroad track at Kennet, 17 miles from here, last night, and was cut to bits by a train. O'Connell came recently from the Puget Sound country. The warmer climate, he said, made him sleepy all the time.

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POINT ARENAS, Sept. 14.—Arrived, Dederha, Hamburg for San Francisco.

SEATTLE, Sept. 14.—Arrived, steamers Northland, Ketchikan; Governor, San Francisco; Mayfair, San Francisco; Northwestern Alaska. Sailed, steamers Serak, Tacoma; Mayfair, Dupont.

YOKOHAMA, Sept. 14.—Arrived, Lucerio, Seattle and Tacoma.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Reciprocity and Its Effect.

Sir,—It was stated in a previous letter that the question of reciprocity should be decided upon the consideration of what is best for Canada. Perhaps too much stress is laid on what is termed "loyalty." All classes of Canadians are loyal in the sense of owing faithful allegiance to the King, and as for annexation, no one in Canada wants it, and no one dreams that in advocating reciprocity anybody is trying to bring it about. The danger, however, does not exist in respect to our present attitude of mind, but in what a policy once adopted may lead to. The majority of Canadians at least want to remain associated with the British Empire largely, it must be admitted, as a question of sentiment; but unless we can show that it is best for Canada economically and in every other way to remain an integral part of that empire we have really a very poor basis to rest upon.

Great stress in the United States has been laid upon the fact that the people of that country and this are one in blood, in language, in similarity of interests and so on—a proposition, which if it were once true, is not true today, and is becoming less true each year—and that, therefore, reciprocity will assist in bringing about that greater consummation of a pan-American union which has been the dream of the American nation ever since the Monroe doctrine was promulgated. Undoubtedly that is the view which prevails everywhere in the United States. The veiw which has steadily maintained in that country for half a century or more is that Canada is as sure to become annexed as a ripe apple will fall to the ground. Their leaders, however, have become wiser by experience in the methods to be adopted. For a long time they thought by refusing to open their markets to Canada they would starve us into submission. Having discovered their mistake they have adopted new tactics and are courting our good will. Goldwin Smith always and conscientiously believed annexation to be our natural destiny, on the ground that you cannot get away from geography. Geography has been overcome.

It all depends in my humble view what is best for this country—for all interests and in the aggregate—what policy we should adopt, and I should like to devote a short space towards showing that, in respect to the two possible futures of Canada—Imperial unity and Canadian Independence, and we shall have to make a choice within ten years—the first has vastly the greatest opportunities and future for us. To be full partners in an Empire, in which Canada will be the chief factor and on account of its geographical situation the base, is a destiny greater either from a trade or a political point of view than anything else we can imagine. Sir Wilfrid Laurier and a large number of his compatriots believe in Canadian independence. It is the goal they have had in view for many years, naturally and perhaps honestly enough. I should vote for Canadian independence tomorrow if I thought it best for Canada. It would be the greatest of all mistakes.

Under new conditions of nation-making, consolidation of forces, following the example of Germany under Bismarck, there are only a few big nations, with the smaller powers mere pawns in the game, and this tendency is increasing. We can best judge of what is best for Canada by what we would lose by separating from the Empire and starting up for ourselves. We lose the prestige of belonging to the Empire, we lose co-operation in matters of trade and commerce, and shipping and defence we would otherwise enjoy. We become a small nation—a pawn in the game,—which means being dependent upon the good will of the bigger nations for a separate existence, a neighbor who may at any time force a war upon us as she did upon Spain. The cost of defence alone would be enormous. A navy to be of service must at least be equal to that of the United States or Japan. At present the Empire has a navy ready made and invincible for the defence of all, the benefit of which we may have by contributing a few million dollars annually to an empire defence fund.

The reasonable and logical question which next arises is: "Does reciprocity involve absorption by the United States and separation from the Empire?" We have seen that in the United States from the President down its effect is so regarded. That may not be conclusive, but it is very strong prima facie evidence. Its practical effect is best judged by practical conditions. There is a string of cities along each side of the border related in size pretty much in the ratio which the population of the United States bears to that of Canada. Each city, in other words, is as large and important as the territory which lies behind it is large and important. Take down the tariff wall you simply extend the trade territory of the larger city into Canadian territory, and following the law which obtains everywhere the large city absorbs the trade and population of the smaller city in the same trade zone. We find all over the continent that the large cities have, so to speak, eaten up the smaller, or, seriously arrested their growth. Reciprocity proposed is not complete free trade, but in so far as it is free trade it will have the same effect. To put it in more concise form, it means that the cities to the south of the line—with their concentrations of trade, industry and capital—will dominate and control the situation. Canada cannot exist independent of the United States under a system of free trade. Under modern conditions it is an economic impossibility, and the man who thinks otherwise is deceiving himself and others whom he may influence. Therefore, reciprocity leads to commercial absorption, which leads to political absorption. If we never became wholly annexed we would at least stand in the relation of a protectorate. The change would probably not be sudden, but no less sure if only gradual. It is the flag which follows the trade, more truly than that trade follows the flag.

The argument is put forward by Mr. Fielding and is echoed everywhere: "Let us try it for a year or two, and if it is not in our interests we can put an end to it." This tentative form of reciprocity is even more objectionable than the permanent form contemplated. As soon as reciprocity passes, trade immediately begins to adjust itself to the new conditions. It would take at least five years to thoroughly try out such an arrangement and business men would certainly regard it as unfair to change back before reciprocity had a fair trial. The proposition, therefore, means in any event, disorganization of business, and what is more serious, it would give rise to serious irritation on the part of the United States. The reciprocity pact is supposed to be, among other things, in the interests of peace. If you annul it you create a feeling of hostility that never would have existed had the pact not been made at all. In entertaining this proposition in any form, we are monkeying with edged tools.

Canada is so extremely prosperous and getting on so well by herself in her own way that no necessity, beyond political necessities, existed for entering into the arrangement and nobody asked for or wanted it except the president and the people of the United States. It is a political pact entered into for political purposes, and has nothing economic to support it except the traditional and now thoroughly exploded idea that freer trade with the United States was necessary for success and prosperity or security.

The way to live at peace and on good terms with the United States is to give no offence and be prepared to accept none.

R. E. GOSNELL.

Dawson's Population.

Sir,—In questions asked by me at the Liberal meeting held in Institute Hall on September 6th, and answered, in a way, by Hon. Wm. Templeman and Mr. F. T. Congdon, I stated that Dawson's present population was eight hundred, citing Rev. George Pringle as my authority.

Mr. Congdon, however, declared there were thirty-two hundred.

Dr. Lewis Hall, the chairman, said he would give me one hundred dollars if I could prove there were no more than eight hundred persons now residing in Dawson, the capital city of the Yukon Territory.

Will Doctor Lewis Hall reply through the columns of your next issue and say which of the following gentlemen's statements he will accept as sufficient evidence of Dawson's population? The Commissioner of the Territory, the Commanding Officer of the Yukon Division of the Royal Northwest Mounted Police, or George Black, Esq., Speaker of the Territorial Council.

G. H. LOCKE.

THE RIDLEY HOME

Proposal to Raise $20,000 as Memorial to Late Bishop.

At a meeting of the synod of the diocess of Caledonia held in Prince Rupert on August 8th last it was unanimously resolved to place on a firm financial basis the Ridley Home, Metlakatla, B. C., as a memorial to the late Bishop Ridley.

The Ridley Home was founded by the late bishop in memory of his wife who died in 1896. The work done by the Home had been begun by Mrs. Ridley herself several years before. It was laid on her heart to care for a class of children who seemed greatly overlooked and neglected, namely the half-caste children and those of settlers in out of the way places where no school or church existed. Such children were received, a small charge being made when the parents or guardians were able to pay, and a careful religious and domestic training was given them while at the same time they attended the public school close by.

The plan, under the able management of Miss West, answered admirably, and there is at the present time quite a number of young men and women occupying creditable positions in the province who owe their entire training to the Ridley Home, and who, but for such training, would almost inevitably have drifted away into worthless if not vicious lives.

It is evident that such an institution cannot be made self-supporting, and it is proposed to endeavor to raise here and in England a sufficient sum (say $20,000) to place the Home on a permanent basis. Those who knew the late bishop know well that no object—not even the welfare of his beloved Indians—lay nearer to his heart than this. It has been felt therefore that no more fitting way than this could be found of erecting a memorial to the bishop and his wife in the very place which was so long the scene of their devoted labors.

It may be added that the foregoing proposal has the hearty approval of the present bishop of the diocese—the Right Rev. F. H. Du Vernet.

Contributions may be sent to the Rev. Canon Keen, diocesan treasurer, Metlakatla, and will be individually acknowledged.

CIRCUIT OF HORSE SHOWS IN CANADA

Proposed Formation of Organization Including Calgary, Regina, Vancouver, Victoria and Winnipeg.

WINNIPEG, Sept. 14.—A horse show grand circuit, to embrace the leading cities of the West, is on the tapis, and if present plans mature, it will be in operation early next year. Calgary, Regina, Vancouver, Victoria and Winnipeg are to be the nucleus for the new organisation, and already the idea has taken hold here and in Regina, and favorable consideration is expected from the other cities as soon as negotiations are well under way.

The project was discussed at the annual meeting of the Winnipeg Horse Show association Wednesday, when a communication was read from Regina in which the news was conveyed that a number of enthusiastic horsemen there were considering the desirability of forming a horse show association and of holding a show next year. Regina has now some of the best heavy harness, high-stepping and saddle horses in the northwest. There are no better sportsmen and sportswomen in the West than the Regina enthusiasts and the members of the local organization does not see why Regina, which is now in the metropolitan class of western cities, should not make a grand success of a horse show.

The matter was left in the hands of Charles W. Graham, secretary and manager. He is already in communication with the other associations mentioned, and it is likely that a meeting of representatives will be held at an early date to complete arrangements.

TECUMSEHS COME AS CHAMPIONS

TORONTO, Ont., Sept. 14.—The Tecumsehs will go to the coast, leaving at the end of the week in quest of the Minto cup. They are now the champions of the National Lacrosse union, as in the play-off between the Montreal and National teams there was no goal scored, and Montreal tallies a victory. As the Tecumsehs only lost two games, while the other contenders have lost three each, the latter are out of the running.

Two Testimonies.

At the meeting held in Ottawa by Mr. Clifford Sifton a feature was the reading of two strong letters against reciprocity by J. R. Booth, Canada's leading lumberman, and W. H. Rowley, head of the E. B. Eddy company of Hull. The two industries are the life of the two cities and employ thousands of men.

Mr. Booth wrote:

"Owing to illness I regret I shall not be able to be present at your meeting this evening, at which Hon Clifford Sifton, Mr. White and the Ottawa candidates are to be speakers, but I am with you in sentiment. It is not a question of politics with me, but a matter of not disturbing the present healthy condition of our country. I feel it most unfortunate that we should have to deal with reciprocity in the midst of our great prosperity. In my opinion there never was a time when we would be less justified in disturbing the general condition of every province in the Dominion than at present. Our natural resources are more than equal to any country—we have only lately found it out—our revenue is ample, our credit is of the best, our banks are ample and no country in the world has less idle labor. If these conditions are disturbed we will have ourselves to blame.

"Yours truly,

"J. R. BOOTH."

Mr. W. H. Rowley, of the Eddy company, wrote:

"Pray assure Messrs. Chabot and Fripp, the anti-reciprocity candidates for Ottawa of my hearty support and my very best efforts to prevent the unpopular, unrighteous, unbusinesslike, Taft-Fielding pact from going into effect. I am at your service."

While Mr. Rowley is a Conservative, Mr. Booth has always been a supporter of the Laurier government and his outspoken declaration against the pact has occasioned dismay in Liberal circles.

Annexation Not Impossible.

The following sentences from so influential a paper as the "Cincinnati Enquirer," show unmistakably the drift of American opinion:

"The political campaign in Canada is at last in full action, and, as was evident from the first, the principal argument against reciprocity used by its opponents is that it is the first step towards annexation of Canada by the United States. They are doing the utmost to array the voters against such a union, and if reciprocity wins at this election in despite of such an argument, it can rightly be claimed that the sentiment of the Canadian electors is not adverse to the proposition."

The concluding sentence of the article is as follows:

"The people of the various countries are understanding each other so much better as they become closely connected by commercial and social ties that the union of Canada and the United States is not either an impossible nor improbable event of the future."

It is marvellous that the paid press should persist in the face of accumulating evidence in the contention that the Americans do not want Annexation. For some time past, they have not been worrying about what seemed the impossible; and just now they are very careful what they say. But on every tempting or unguarded occasion, the hope that is in their hearts leaps to light.

PRESS COMMENTS

Hollow Promises.

Under the caption "A Minister's Hollow Promises," the British Columbian, New Westminster, says: "Hon. Wm. Templeman is again making election promises of what he will do for Victoria and British Columbia if returned for the riding of Victoria. The people have found in the past that such promises are hollow assertions. Victoria, as Mr. Barnard, the Conservative candidate there at a recent meeting showed, have little to appreciate from the minister in this respect. In the ten years previous to 1909, over $10,000,000 had been spent on eastern coast harbors and in the same time but $256,000 had been spent on British Columbia. Mr. Barnard showed that the sea-going tonnage of British Columbia was some four million tons, while that of New Brunswick and Nova Scotia combined was 800,000 tons. The coast trade of British Columbia amounted to 3,000,000 tons. Hon. Dr. Pugsley had announced that $12,000,000 was to be spent on St. John harbor. The contrast between what Mr. Pugsley is doing for his constituency and what Mr. Templeman has done for Victoria and the Pacific Coast is sufficient answer to the minister's boast that he has done all that should or could be done for this province.

"But not alone with respect to the maritime waters and ports is the record against the minister of mines. As a member of the cabinet from British Columbia he must assume large responsibilities with the honor. How has he dealt with the claims of the Fraser River ports for equal consideration with the unimportant harbors of Quebec and the Maritime Province? He has been silent as to their needs; it has devolved upon private members to press these claims for just consideration. Chilliwack citizens will recall how the minister failed to impress upon his colleagues the importance of proper approaches and wharves for that port. It was one of those unimportant matters in his consideration to be passed over with a wave of the hand, although the neglect of the department meant a loss of $10,000 yearly to the people of Chilliwack and district. So, too, improvements to the Upper Fraser river channel in order to permit of unobstructed navigation to Hope, the port for the receipt of materials and supplies for railway construction through the canyon are a small matter to the minister of mines but of much importance to New Westminster, which should command a large share of the trade to the railway graders' camps. These are but a few instances of the necessary public works for the Fraser river, and the grievances existing throughout this section of British Columbia, that it should be the province of a cabinet minister to deal with and give his assurance that they will be of some importance in his view in the next parliament. But doubtless Mr. Templeman fears for his return to Ottawa and will not venture far from Victoria on a promise-making tour. It might also be inconvenient for the minister to have his past promises and assertions in this connection recalled by the electors along the Fraser river whose interests in the Commons would have suffered if dependence had been placed alone on the promises of the minister of mines.

Eight Killed in Mexico

MERIDA, Yucatan, Mex., Sept. 14.—Eight men were killed and 16 wounded last night when state guards fired into a special train of excursionists coming to join in the manifestation to Francisco I. Madero.

Poisonous Ice Cream.

LONDON, Ont., Sept. 14.—As the result of eating ice cream at the Western Fair yesterday morning, Mrs. Frank Dalgleish of Chatham is dead at the Victoria hospital.

Bought by Mackenzie and Mann.

SUDBURY, Ont., Sept. 14.—The first big sale of the Shining Tree district was put through yesterday when Mackenzie & Mann of Toronto bought the Gosselin property for $300,000 cash. This was the original gold strike in this district.

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MEN'S SUITS, in high grade dark silk mixed Cheviots, best for business wear: regular price to $15. Sale price $6.85

Not what we say here, but the values themselves will shout loudest for this sale—Values like these $18.00 PURE SILK AND WORSTED SUITS, hundreds of them included, and money back for garments returned. Prices to $18.00. Sale price $9.95

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MEN'S AND LADIES' HANDKERCHIEFS, hemstitched, white or fancy border. Worth 10c to 25c. Sale price, THREE FOR .... 10¢

WOOL UNDERWEAR, worth up to $1.50. Sale price is .... 35¢

SILK TIES, worth 50c. Sale price .... 15¢

MEN'S WOOL SOX, worth 50c. Sale price .... 20¢

SUSPENDERS, worth 25c and 35c. Sale price .... 10¢

GLOVES, 50c to $1.00 values. Now .... 35¢

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GREAT SPEECH BY MR. SIFTON

Liberal Stalwart at Cobourg Demolishes Sir Wilfrid's Arguments in Favor of Reciprocity

What is declared to have been one of the greatest speeches yet delivered in the present political campaign was made by Hon. Clifford Sifton at Cobourg on the evening of September 7.

At the outset of his address, Mr. Sifton stated that he would not haggle over prices. He would endeavor to confine himself to indisputable facts, the truth of which was freely admitted by the advocates of reciprocity.

It was an indisputable fact that from 85 to 90 per cent. of Canadian farm products, apart from hard wheat, was marketed in the Canadian home market.

"If, therefore, you were to have the American market offered you permanently you would get higher prices for perhaps ten or twelve per cent. of your farm products," said Mr. Sifton "But that's not the proposition. This market isn't offered to you permanently. It will be taken away from you just as soon as our friends on the other side choose to take it away. If they think that this bargain is not turning out well for them they will soon take away their market for this ten or twelve per cent. of our farm products.

Canada's Loss.

"And in return for this, what are you giving? In return for a possible, gambling chance of getting a higher price for ten or twelve per cent. of your agricultural products, you are asked to throw open your whole home market to the United States, to the twelve favored nations, and to the entire British Empire.

"My friend, Sir Wilfrid Laurier, has had a good deal of fun with this favored nations business. You know, when you can't reply to an argument, sometimes the best thing you can do is to joke about it. (Laughter.) Sir Wilfrid has said that this favored nations matter is not ver serious, that the competition of the favored nations in the Canadian home market will not be worth considering. Just let us look at that for a moment.

The United States has ninety millions of people. Last year the United States raised enough agricultural products to feed that ninety millions of people, and there remained four hundred and thirty-eight million dollars worth of agricultural products for export. And what of the favored nations? Russia produced $23,000,000 worth of butter last year; Australia produced $11,500,000 worth of butter last year: New Zealand produced $8,000,000 worth of butter last year: Australia produced $3,500,000 worth of beef last year; New Zealand produced $2,750,000 worth of beef last year; Argentine produced $20,000,000 worth of beer last year: Australia produced $6,000,000 worth of mutton and lambs last year. And so it goes. These are the very things which we are producing. And there is not one of these countries which cannot ship these products to Canada at freight rates which will be a comparative trifle.

"Are they likely to do this? Why, they are doing it already. They are doing it in the very face of our present protective tariff. Last April and May Australia shipped butter to Canada, over the tariff wall, in such quantities that the price broke from 27½ to 19 cents a pound. Last April and May we imported one million dozen eggs from the United States despite the tariff, and the result was a break in the price of eggs. Last April and May we imported 351,000 pounds of mutton and lamb from Australia, 262,000 pounds of mutton and lambs from the United States, and so on, all in the face of our tariff.

Reasons for the Imports

"What accounts for these imports? Simply the fact that the Canadian farmer's home market has risen to such a level that the United States, Argentine, Australia and all these other countries are even now the Canadian farmer's competitors in his own home market, notwithstanding the tariff which protects that market.

"Supporters of the reciprocity pact say, with their fine, rolling platitudes that sound so well and mean so little, that when the farmer is prosperous, all people are prosperous. And how do they propose to make the farmer prosperous? Do they propose to make the tariff higher, to protect him from the outside competition, which even now reaching him? No, they propose to take away that tariff altogether, to take down the bars, to allow the Canadian market to be flooded with farm products from all quarters of the earth. (Applause.) What will be the effect if the markets of Canada are thrown open in that way?"

A voice—We will get cents where we now get dollars. (Prolonged applause.)

The Globe's Attack

"My friend the Globe newspaper, says today, in making reference to me, that the Liberal party will stand by the consumer. Well, let us see how they do it. They do it by fusing our markets with the markets of the United States. And who controls the markets of the United States? The trusts. Every animal that stands on a hoof in that country is controlled by the beef trust of Chicago. And if this treaty goes into effect, not more than a week or ten days will elapse before they will have their machinery in order in this country. And there are all the other trusts—the warehousing trust, the poultry trust, the cheese trust, and so on. The whole proposition works down to this, that the produce markets of Canada, which today are in the main free and open, fluctuating according to supply and demand, are to be handed over to the United States trusts—to a jurisdiction wholly and absolutely beyond any Canadian control. (Applause.) These facts are of common knowledge, and I don't think there is any reason in the world for supposing that any benefit would accrue to the Canadian consumer as a result of his being handed over to the United States trusts."

Effects of Reciprocity.

Mr. Sifton then dealt with the effect of reciprocity on Canadian manufacturers and the men in their employ.

"Your car works here in Cobourg are building cars to send to the west," said he. "But cars made in Cobourg will fail to find a market in the west as soon as this agreement goes into effect."

There were 82,000 fewer men on United States payrolls now than a year ago, and 20,000 to 25,000 more were to be laid off within the next six weeks.

"Careful observers think the United States is now entering a long period of depression," said Mr. Sifton. "But I do not intend to say anything about that. I am content to take the facts as we find them now."

A Worthless Assurance.

Sir Wilfrid's assurance that the tariff on manufactured articles would not be disturbed was worthless. Political contingencies would prove too strong for the prime minister. Canadian farmers would not pay a duty on manufactured articles when their own market was flooded with farm products from all parts of the world.

"It is contrary to all common sense to think that you can have in the same country a free trade dumping ground for agricultural products and a protected closed market for manufactured articles. There is an inherent impossibility in this proposition. The supporters of reciprocity are compelled to base their whole argument on the abuse of one class, on the setting of one class against another. They attack millers, fruit growers, pork packers, manufacturers, and so on. When they have to resort to setting one half the population against ical nature of the proposition in behalf the other half the absurdity and illogat once. It must be a radically unsound proposition and one not worthy of support. (Applause.)

"The development of east and west traffic by the construction of transcontinental railways. All this would be for naught if the reciprocity agreement came into force.

New Business Relations.

"Under reciprocity we shall necessarily cultivate very much closer business relations with the United States. Your business men will have their business connections there, and we will be dependent on fluctuations there for the prices we shall get for our products. What will be the effect of this? The conditions governing the prosperity of the two countries will be common. Without any effort on the part of the United States without any flourishing of the big stick, they will have the cooperation of the people of Canada, because the interests of the one country will be the interests of the other. And when that is the case when does it avail us to boast that we are an independent people?

"What common interest will there be between Canada and other parts of the British empire when our prime minister takes his place at the council board of the imperial conference? Our prime minister will be disqualified from deliberating with the other representatives at the conference. They will say to him, 'Your interests are not our interests. You are now bound up with another nation, with an alien, and you cannot discuss our interests with us.'"

Mr. Sifton's concluding appeal to the young men to abide by the ideal of true British citizenship elicited great enthusiasm.

WHAT PRESIDENT TAFT HAS SAID

The reduction in the duties imposed by Canada will give us even a larger share of her market than we now enjoy, great as this is.—President Taft.

The greatest reason for adopting this agreement is the fact that it is going to unite two countries with kindred people and lying together across a wide continent, in a commercial and social union. —President Taft.

I have said that this was a critical time in the solution of the question of reciprocity. It is critical, because, unless it is now decided favorably to reciprocity, it is exceedingly probable that no such opportunity will ever again come to the United States. The forces which are at work in England and Canada to separate her by a Chinese wall from the United States, and to make her part of an imperial commercial band reaching from England around the world to England again, by a system of preferential tariffs, will derive an impetus from the rejection of this treaty, and if we would have reciprocity, with all the advantages that I have described, and that I earnestly and sincerely believe will follow its adoption, we must take it now, or give it up for ever.—President Taft.

FRANCE'S ARMY

Autumn Maneuvres Close With Raising of Siege of Belfort—Success of Aeroplanes

BELFORT, France, Sept. 14.—The autumn maneuvers of the French army were brought to a close with the burning of much gunpowder in an early morning battle which raised the hypothetical investment of Belfort. Premier Caillaux, the minister of war and other distinguished persons, witnessed the spectacle. The airships did not figure in the finish, as they had been driven from the sky by the high winds. The aviators were presented to the premier.

Their scouting appears to have been remarkable. From heights of varying from 2,000 to 3,000 feet they noted every movement of the troops during daylight and reported the location of all the batteries except those hidden in forests.

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The Suit or Overcoat you buy today will look well enough when you put it on—but how will it be six months from now? That's the important thing to know. The All-Wool Quality and careful tailoring of our "Proper Clothes" Garments insure lasting good looks. If your Fall Suit or Overcoat comes from this store, it will have the fresh appearance of newness next spring, even though you wear it every day from now till then.

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BOECKH'S FAMOUS BRUSHES AND BROOMS	
BANNISTER BRUSHES, each, 75c, 50c and	35¢
STOVE BRUSHES, each, 40c, 35c and	25¢
SHOE BRUSHES, each 40c, 35c and	25¢
SCRUB BRUSHES, each, 35c, 25c, 20c and	10¢
NAIL BRUSHES, each, 30c, 15c and	5¢
HAIR BROOMS, each $2.00, $1.75 and	$1.25
DAUBERS, each, 20c and	10¢
MOP HEADS, each	25¢
SELF-WRINGING MOPS	50¢
OHIO MOPS, each	35¢
DANDY BRUSHES, each	60¢
HEARTH BRUSHES, each	65¢
CEILING BRUSHES, each	50¢
WINDOW BRUSHES, each	75¢
WHISKS, each 35c and	25¢
BARBER'S WHISKS, each	50¢
SINK BRUSHES, 2 for	25¢
MOP HANDLES, each	25¢
FEATHER DUSTERS, each, $1.50 and	75¢
DOUBLE SPOKE BRUSHES, each	75¢
WIRE CLOTHES LINE, each, 75c and	40¢
COTTON AND HEMP CLOTHES LINES, each, 35c and	25¢
CHILDREN'S BROOMS, each	15¢
STRAW BROOMS, each 70c and	65¢

WASH BOARDS, each, 50c, 35c and	25¢
FIBRE PAILS, each	50¢
WOODEN PAILS, each	25¢
FIBRE TUBS, No. 0, each, $2.25, No. 1, $2.00, No. 2, $1.75	
and No. 3	$1.50
WOODEN TUBS, No. 0, $1.75, No. 1, $1.50, and No. 2,	$1.25
"DIXI" SOAP, splendid for household or laundry, 6 cakes	25¢
"CLIMAX" SOAP, large bar	25¢
"TOWN TALK" SOAP, 3 bars for	50¢
"WHITE SWAN" SOAP, 6 cakes	25¢
LIGHTHOUSE SOAP, 6 cakes	25¢
FAIRY SOAP, 3 large cakes, 25c, small cakes, per dozen,	35¢
COPCO, 3 for	25¢
SUNNY MONDAY, 2 for	25¢
SHYNOL, 4 for	25¢
IVORY SOAP, 2 for	25¢
FELS NAPTHA, 3 for	25¢
SAPOLIO, 3 for	25¢
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MONKEY BRAND—won't wash clothes, but unrivalled for	
housecleaning—per bar	5¢
LIFEBUOY SOAP, per cake	5¢
SUNLIGHT SOAP, per bar, 5c, 22 bars for	$1.00
CASTILE SOAP—French—per bar	35¢
CASTILE SOAP—Spanish—per bar	30¢
CASTILE SOAP—Spanish—mottled, per cake	25¢
CASTILE SOAP—El Pardo—15 cakes in box, per box,	$1.25

FINE TOILET SOAPS, large and varied assortment, per	25¢
box	$2.75
HOTEL SOAP, per glass	$1.00
PALM OLIVE SOAP, per box	$1.40
PEAR'S UNSCENTED, 2 cakes, 25c, per dozen	25¢
CLEAVER'S SOAP, 3 cakes	15¢
LANTERN GLOBES, each	30¢
FLOOR WAX—Old English—per tin	50¢
WILD ROSE, per box of 12 cakes	35¢
BABY'S OWN SOAP, per box	25¢
INFANT'S DELIGHT SOAP, per box	50¢
PLANTOL SOAP, per box	35¢
CUTICURA SOAP, per cake	
MAYPOLE SOAP—washes and dyes blouses, ribbons, etc.,	10¢
at same time—per cake	
VIOLET SHAVING SOAP—French—scented with Eau de	35¢
Cologne, each	25¢
GENUINE BROWN WINDSOR SOAP, per dozen	25¢
FAIRBANK'S GLYCERINE TAR SOAP, 3 cakes	25¢
MASTER MECHANIC' SOAP, 3 cakes	20¢
OX GALL STAIN SOAP, each	15¢
HANDY AMMONIA POWDER, per packet	15¢
MOODY'S KLENZINE POWDER, per packet	15¢
IMP SOOT DESTROYER, per packet	25¢
GOLD DUST POWDER, per packet	25¢
GOLDEN WEST WASHING POWDER, per packet	25¢
WHITE SWAN WASHING POWDER, per packet	25¢
PEARLINE, 2 packets	25¢
CHLORIDE OF LIME, 2 packets	35¢
GILLETT'S LYE, 2 packets	10¢
OLD DUTCH CLEANSER, per can	

NIXEY'S KNIFE POWDER, per tin, 25c and	15¢
"DIXI" SPECIAL STOVE POLISH, large tin	5¢
RECKETT'S BLUE, per packet	5¢
PARISIAN BLUE, per packet, 10c, or 3 for	25¢
BOTTLE LIQUID BLUE, each, 25c and	15¢
NIXELINE STOVE POLISH, 4 for	25¢
QUICKSHINE STOVE POLISH, per bottle	25¢
ENAMELINE STOVE POLISH, 3 for	25¢
MATCHLESS STOVE POLISH, 3 for	25¢
RISING SUN STOVE POLISH, 3 for	25¢
ROYAL STOVE POLISH, per box	15¢
BLACK SILK STOVE POLISH, 2 for	25¢
STAON, per tin	10¢
CANDLES—THE LARGEST VARIETY IN THE CITY.	
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NUGGET SHOE POLISH, 3 for	25¢
TAN BEAUTY SHOE POLISH, per bottle	25¢
DADDY'S COMBINATION SHOE POLISH, per bottle,	25¢
3-in-1 MACHINE OIL, per bottle	25¢
BON AMI, 2 packets for	25¢
METHYLATED SPIRITS, per bottle	50¢
SPIRITS OF TURPENTINE, per bottle	50¢
HOUSEHOLD AMMONIA, per bottle	25¢
VERIBRITE VENOIL FURNITURE POLISH—excellent—	
per bottle, 50c and	25¢
BRILLIANTSHINE, per tin	25¢
BRASSO, per tin	15¢
BLANCO, per cake	20¢
BATH BRICKS, each	5¢
WASHING SODA, 16 lbs	25¢
LAMP GLASSES, No. 1 and No. 2, each	15¢

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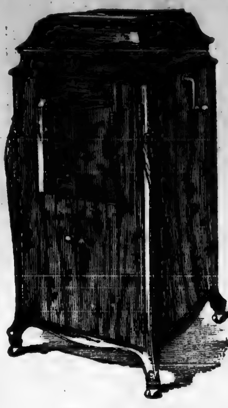

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DO WORKINGMEN WANT REDUCED WAGES?

Labor Can be Obtained "At Any Price" in Seattle—Reciprocity Means Equalization of Conditions

Do the workingmen of British Columbia—the workingmen of Victoria—want Reciprocity with the United States, that is, so far as they are concerned, with the neighbor states just over the line? Reciprocity, if it means anything, means of necessity, equalization of conditions. **Do the workers of this country want their wages brought down to the Seattle standard, and the market for their services glutted so that they may be forced to take anything they can get for their labor in order to keep body and soul together?**

A prominent officer of the Norton Griffiths Construction Co.—one of the largest firms in the building trade in Western Canada, and one of the largest employers—an officer who is entitled to speak with authority by his position in that company—states that owing to the depression in the adjacent American states, contractors of Seattle and Tacoma are now invading British Columbia and tendering upon large undertakings in our cities, **basing their calculations on insufficient investigation of local conditions and taking it for granted that labor is here available at Puget Sound prices,** with the result that their bids are invariably under the actual cost and they are either unable to complete their contrasts—throw them up and flit back to Seattle—or go through with them at a heavy loss.

In the allied building trades wages generally are from **15 to 25 per cent. higher in British Columbia than in Seattle, while unskilled labor is available in any quantity in the Sound city at from $1.50 to $2.00 per day,** while here it is **scarce at $2.75.** Owing to conditions of depression there, it is stated that, as a matter of fact, it is possible to get labor in Seattle **at any price offered.**

Another heavy employer of labor, in the street paving line, an officer of a company employing hundreds of men in Victoria, states that while $2.75 per day is here paid for unskilled labor in their undertakings, the current rate in Seattle is $2 per day, **but no one sticks to the rate, and any number of men are glad to get work at any time at any price they can get.**

President J. J. Warren, of the Kettle River Valley Railway, now under construction, says that while the greater part of their labor is engaged by the month, the ruling cost is approximately **twenty per cent. higher than in the neighbor states.**

Grant, Smith & Co., contractors for the Canadian Northern Pacific on Vancouver Island, have just been **convicted** in the Victoria police court for the importation of laborers from Seattle, in contravention of the Canadian immigration and alien labor laws, **a contravention joined in by the government at Ottawa** through the issuance of instructions to its agents to **illegally abrogate the laws of the land designed for the protection of Canadian workers**—an abundant supply of labor offering in the Sound city at $2 to $2.25 per day, while here the current wage is $2.75 minimum and the supply of workers limited.

M. J. Scanlan (who with his associates of the Brooks-Scanlan companies has approximately $200,000 invested in various British Columbia industrials) says that of the thousand and more white men employed at their works at Powell River in the making of pulp and paper, **these are receiving the highest wages paid anywhere in the world in their respective classes of employment,** unskilled labor obtaining from **ten to twenty per cent more** than in the paper-making centres of the Pacific coast and **100 per cent. more** than in the Eastern States, while skilled labor commands from **fifteen to twenty-five per cent. higher wages than at any other Pacific coast paper-making centre.**

The cost of living at Powell River, says Mr. Scanlan, is no higher than at Victoria or Vancouver; indeed, taking into account the factor of rent, it is lower—in part due to the policy of the company in providing first-class homes for its employees at a cost of five per cent. only on the invested capital. As for foodstuffs generally, the company's store sell at Victoria and Vancouver prices.

Deputy Minister W. E. Scott, of the Department of Agriculture, bears witness that the standard price of agricultural labor in British Columbia is from $25 to $45 per month, with board and lodging, or day labor at from $2 to $3, as contrasted with $1.50 to $2.25 in the states of Oregon and Washington, where the monthly standard is from $20 to $30. **This fact must not be lost sight of in recognition of any possible minor difference in the cost of farm produce, fruits, etc., to the consumer in states just across the border and in British Columbia;** also the related and important facts that **farm produce exported to British Columbia from these states cannot be as fresh and wholesome as the home-produced article.** The rigid enforcement of the Pure Food laws of the United States, too, leaves the American producers with a considerable quantity of inferior and unwholesome products upon their hands, **which they will be certain to utilise for export, British Columbia being made a dumping ground** for this grade rejected at home.

RECIPROCITY AND BRITISH CONNECTION

Financial News of London Sums Up Tendencies of Proposed Trade Pact in a Striking Fashion

We have never for a moment questioned the loyalty of Canada to the Imperial ideal; but we do consider that in seeking to conclude an arrangement with a foreign though Anglo-Saxon nation that has for its avowed object the direct and immediate expansion of trade between the two countries, she is taking a step which must in the long run tend to destroy her character as a British nation and to alienate her enthusiasm for the British connection.—From the London, England, Financial News, August 17.

There is no newspaper in the United Kingdom that speaks with more authority for the British financial world than the Financial News of London. In its issue of August 17 the News devotes a leading article to "Canadian-American Reciprocity," in which it says:

Again we turn to this subject, which to our mind, exceeds in importance for the moment any other question of empire interest. The political controversy which has raged on the North American continent for the past two weeks has been remarkable in this respect—that, on the one side, United States politicians from the president downwards, are asserting that reciprocity practically means the national absorption of the Dominion; while, on the other side of the border, Sir Wilfrid Laurier and his party equally forcibly assert that reciprocity might be capable of many things, but assuredly not of promoting absorption. Now, it is morally certain that both parties cannot be right in their contentions, and it is precisely here that the matter affects Great Britain and the rest of the empire.

Britain Directly Concerned

We are not concerned in any way with Canada's domestic policies; but, so long as Canada remains an integral part of the group of nations known as the British Empire, her external relations involve every citizen to whatever part of the British family he may belong. Great Britain has recognized this by taking Canada into her confidence in the matter of defence, and by consulting her in all important matters affecting our relations with foreign countries, the last example of this being the Anglo-Japanese treaty—a compact the significance of which is probably more apparent to Canada than any other part of the empire. Therefore many of us think that in such a matter as this agreement with the United States we have a right to regard the subject as one in which we are directly concerned.

Injurious to British Trade

But, apart from this imperial responsibility in connection with the proposed agreement, there is the very important question as to how its consummation will affect our trade interests with, and capital investments in the Dominion. And in this connection we claim to be deserving of some special consideration, not alone because we have some heavy monetary liabilities in the Dominion, but from the fact that the people of the United Kingdom have for many years borne uncomplainingly the heavy burden of the defence of Canada and her commerce in common with the rest of the distant portions of the empire.

U. S. Already Has Advantage

What is the position and trend of Canadian trade at the present time? A glance at available statistics will show us that the United States is already in a more favorable position than Great Britain, and by facilitating trading relations across the border—practically obliterating the boundary line—the position must become very much worse for British trade. For the period of five years, 1906-10, Canada purchased from Great Britain goods to the value of approximately $400,000,000, while during the same period she purchased from the United States no less than $1,000,000,000. For the period covered by the same five years we purchased from Canada goods to the amount of about $700,000,000, while the United States bought goods from the Dominion to the value of only about $500,000,000. These figures show on the face of them a sufficiently serious position of affairs for British trade, and one which accounts for much of the anxiety with which business men regard the outlook should reciprocity become an accomplished fact.

Threatens British Connection

We have never for a moment questioned the loyalty of Canada to the imperial ideal; but we do consider that in seeking to conclude an arrangement with a foreign, though Anglo-Saxon, nation, that has for its avowed object the direct and immediate expansion of trade between the two countries, she is taking a step which must in the long run tend to destroy her character as a British nation and to alienate her enthusiasm for the British connection.

It is a question of simple figures. Two peoples, practically on an island without a boundary—equally virile, aggressive and ideal, the one numbering 80,000,000 and the other 7,500,000—which must most strongly impress its characteristics on the other? To ask the question is to answer it.

Chinese Admiral at Beverly

BEVERLY, Mass., Sept. 14.—Rear-Admiral Ching Pin Kwang, commanding the Chinese cruiser Hai Chi, now visiting the United States, paid his respects to President Taft at Parramatta today. Commander George S. Ceyper, U.S.N., accompanied him. Admiral Ching was received at first alone and later his suite was introduced by the charge d'affaires and the naval attache of the Chinese legation.

From West Coast

The steamer Tees of the C. P. R. returned yesterday afternoon from Quatsino and way ports of the coast of Vancouver Island.

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A Complete List of Local Improvement Works, Authorized by By-Law, from Time to Time, Will Be Found Posted on the Bulletin Board at the Main Entrance to City Hall

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Steel Bridge, Columbia River, Trail—Superstructure Metal

NOTICE is hereby given that the time for receiving tenders for Manufacture and Delivery of Superstructure Metal, Bridge at Trail, B. C., is extended up to 12 o'clock noon, Thursday, 7th day of September, 1911.

J. E. GRIFFITH,
Public Works Engineer.

Department of Public Works,
Victoria, B. C., Aug. 29th, 1911.

NOTICE

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that, under the authority contained in section 131 of the "Land Act," a regulation has been approved by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council fixing the minimum sale prices of first and second-class land at $10 and $5 per acre, respectively.

This regulation further provides that the prices fixed therein shall apply to all lands with respect to which the application to purchase is given favorable consideration after this date, notwithstanding the date of such application or any delay that may have occurred in the consideration of the same.

Further notice is hereby given that all persons who have pending applications to purchase lands under the provisions of section 34 or 36 of the "Land Act" and who are not willing to complete such purchases under the prices fixed

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NOTICE

Navigable Waters Protection Act

Notice is hereby given that Frederick William Pretty of the City of Rossland, British Columbia, is applying to His Excellency the Governor-General-in-Council for approval of the area plans, site and description of works proposed to be constructed on that part of the waters of Victoria harbor fronting on Lot 1271, Block 43, Victoria City, and has deposited the area and site plans of the proposed works, and a description thereof, with the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa, and a duplicate thereof with the Registrar General of Titles in the Land Registry Office in the City of Victoria, British Columbia, and that the matter of the said application will be proceeded with at the expiration of one month from the time of the first publication of this Notice in the Canada Gazette.

Dated this fifth day of September, 1911.

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On view Wednesday, September 20th.

Stewart Williams - The Auctioneer

School Site Wanted

One to two acres near Washington Avenue and Burnside Road. Tenders received up to Monday noon next, the 18th inst. by the Victoria Board of School Trustees, City Hall.

TENDERS FOR STORE

Tenders will be received by the undersigned until the 25th inst. for the leasing of the two-storey brick building containing store and offices and known as No. 615 Fort street, between Government and Broad streets. The owner is willing to renovate and remodel for a good tenant. Possession November 1st.

P. R. BROWN,
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NOTICE

In the matter of the Estate of John Chapman Davie, Deceased.

TAKE NOTICE that all persons owing accounts to the late Dr. J. C. Davie are requested to pay the same to the undersigned, who is authorized by the Executors of the above mentioned estate to receive all assets of the estate.

C. F. DAVIE.

Of Room 203, Pemberton Building, Fort Street, Victoria, B. C., Solicitor for R. T. Elliott and F. B. Pemberton, the Executors of the above mentioned estate.

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Two lots 60x120, near Collinson. Price $3,000 each on terms.

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135 acres, within a few minutes of Cobble Hill station, suitable for subdivision into small holdings. Price, on easy terms, only $9,000

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75 acres, 3¼ miles from city hall, splendid land, all cleared, suitable for subdivision into acre lots. A handsome profit can be made on this. Terms easy.

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2¼ acres, fronting on Victoria arm and Gorge road, and siding on Washington avenue. Can be subdivided into fine residence sites. The waterfront alone is worth $100 per foot. Price, for whole, on good terms $18,000

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The notices of Annual General Taxes will be mailed from today until Saturday, the 16th inst., to all addresses as shewn on the Collector's Rolls.

Any Ratepayer not receiving notice in due course, will please apply at my office for same.

EDWIN C. SMITH,
Treasurer and Collector.

City Hall, Victoria, B.C.,
Sept. 12th, 1911.

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Further particulars can be obtained from the Hon. Edgar Dewdney, owner, Willow Park, P. O., or from

The Auctioneer, Stewart Williams.

Representation at T. & L. Congress

Dealing with the question of composition and representation of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada, Phil Obermeyer, in the Hamilton Herald labor page says: "There has been much discussion during the last few years over the question of representation at meetings of the Trades Congress of Canada. The proposal to form provincial federations of labor seemed to offer a solution of the matter, as with federations in all the provinces, delegates from these bodies and trades councils would guarantee a representative congress and relieve local unions of the financial burden involved in sending delegates across the continent to the annual meetings. The federations are not yet formed, however, and several years may elapse before such a plan could be put into practical operation.

"Something happened last year which points out another and very practical way of arriving at the same point. At Fort William for the first time in the history of the congress, a trade organization had delegates representing the whole of its Canadian membership. The delegates represented the membership in Canada of the Amalgamated Society of Carpenters and Joiners, whose headquarters are in England. This year three delegates will be sent. The representatives are elected by a referendum of the Canadian jurisdiction and the ballot just taken shows the election of J. W. Wilkinson of Vancouver, F. H. Chambers of Winnipeg and A. Burton of Hamilton as the delegates. There are about 35 international unions paying the congress per capita tax directly from headquarters on their Canadian membership. If the example of the Amalgamated Carpenters were followed and delegates elected in proportion to membership, the location of the congress meetings would not matter much and that body would certainly become more representative than it has been for many years. This plan is worthy of the serious consideration of the congress and its affiliated bodies. It would not interfere with representation from provincial federations, and could be put into operation in connection with the representation at the congress next year. The expense connected with sending delegates would not be felt if spread over the Canadian membership, and each craft would be assured its proper quota of delegates. Some change in the method of securing representation at the meetings is imperative if the congress is to represent the views and voice of organized labor in Canada and the carpenters' plan looks good enough to be followed by the other international bodies."

By almost unanimous vote the old-age pension was raised from $4 to $5 per week.

Troublesome Friends.

The Hearst press has overdone it. After declaring in his American editions that reciprocity "will do more than anything else to promote the complete political and business union" of the United States and Canada, Hearst has flooded Montreal, Ottawa and other Canadian cities with his papers advocating reciprocity as a good thing for Canada. This Hearst campaign is bitterly resented. A mass meeting in Montreal denounced it as an impudent interference. The Montreal Witness, a strong Liberal and supporter of reciprocity, says: "Mr. Hearst, of New York, with his usual malign inspiration, has got out a special reciprocity edition for Canada. It is an unpardonable interference, which will be hailed only by the cause which he opposes, which nothing could better serve."

But it is this man of "malign inspiration" whom President Taft publicly thanks for the reciprocity gospel. The fact is that the whole reciprocity programme is "malign inspiration."—Vancouver News-Advertiser.

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EXCITING DAY ON EXCHANGE

Heavy Slump in Stocks Followed by Rapid Recovery—Unsettled Money Conditions in European Markets

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—In the course of a day that was both exciting and disquieting, stocks slumped severely, only to recover later. The selling early in the session was in such volume as to flood the market. New Haven fell below the low point of the panic of 1907, and sold at 126⅞, its lowest figure since the stock was placed on a settled dividend basis following its organization in 1872.

The upward movement which set in early in the afternoon was as irresistible as the morning's decline. There was urgent and heavy covering of short contracts, particularly in Union Pacific, United States Steel and Reading. At the some time evidences were seen of buying for the long account. The decline doubtless brought in some scattered investment, which helped in the advance. Union Pacific, which had fallen to 157¼, touched 160, and United States Steel, which had sold at 65⅛, reached 67. Reading, Lehigh Valley, Erie First Preferred, Great Northern Preferred, Canadian Pacific, Missouri Pacific, Southern Pacific and Consolidated Gas rose to a point or more above yesterday's closing. The market eased off at the close.

Further light on financial conditions in Europe was shed by the advance of the Bank of Belgium's discount rate from 3½ per cent, the rate which has prevailed since May, to 4½, and by the advance in the private rate of discount at Berlin. The Bank of England's weekly statement shows that it had preserved the abnormally high per cent. of reserve to liability, the figures remaining unchanged at 58 per cent.

Gross earnings of 21 railroads from the first week of September increased $359,000, or 3.70 per cent.

The bond market was irregular, with heaviness followed by improvement. Total sales (par value) $2,585,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call.

VICTORIA STOCK EXCHANGE.

Stocks—	Bid.	Asked.
Alberta Canadian Oil	.05½	.05¾
American-Canadian Oil	.13	.15
Canadian Northwest Oil	.03¼	.04
Canadian Pacific Oil	.15	.20
Alberta Coal & Coke	.01	.02
Diamond Vale C. & C.	.05	.06½
Granby	28.00	32.00
International C. & C.	.59½	.60½
Nicola Valley C. & C.	40.00	65.00
Royal Collieries	.08	.09
Western Coal & Coke	1.40	1.90
Maricopa	.02¾	.03
B. C. Copper	3.75	4.25
B. C. Packers Com.	55.00	..
B. C. Permanent Loan	..	127.00
C. N. P. Fisheries	3.50	5.00
Dominion Trust Co.	118.00	127.00
Great West Perm. (a)	115.00	123.00
Stewart Land	8.00	10.00
Bitter Creek	..	.14½
Glacier Creek	.05	.05¼
Klaskino	.04	.08
Lasqueti	.01	.01½
Lucky Calumet	.01	.02½
Lucky Jim Zinc	.32	.37
Main Reef	..	.05
Nugget Gold	.58	.67
Portland Canal	.15¼	.15½
Portland Wonder	.02	.04
Rambler Cariboo	.50	..
Red Cliffs	1.08	1.10
Snowstorm	.18	.25
Snowshoe	..	.01½
Stewart M. & D.	.97	1.02
Coronation	.42	.45
Kootenay	.70	1.00
S. A. Warrants	750.00	..

Sales.

1000 Alberta Canadian Oil at .05½; 1000 at .05½; 500 at .05.

1000 Canadian-American Oil at .14½.

500 International C. & C. at .60.

1500 Glacier Creek at .05.

500 Portland Canal at .15¼; 5000 (60 days) at .16; 5000 (60 days) at .16; 2000 at .15¼; 2000 at .15⅝.

20 Stewart Land at 9.75; 20 (60 days) at 11.00.

THE CITY MARKETS

RETAIL

Foodstuffs

Straw, per ton		15.00
Bran, per 100 lbs.		1.50
Shorts, per 100 lbs.		1.60
Middlings, per 100 lbs.		1.80
Ooas, per 100 lbs.		1.70
Feed Wheat, per 100 lbs.	1.75	1.90@2.00
Crushed Oats, per 100 lbs.		1.80
Barley, per 100lbs.		1.70
Cracked Corn, per 100 lbs.		1.75
Feed Cornmeal, per 100 lbs.		2.10
Hay, per ton		20.00
Chop Feed, per 100 lbs.		1.40
Whole Corn, per 100 lbs.		1.90
Crushed Barley, per 100 lbs.		2.10
Alfalfa Hay, per ton		25.00
Eggs—		
Fresh Island, per dozen		.55
Cheese—		
Canadian, per lb.		.20
Cream, local, each		.10
Butter—		
Alberta, per lb.		.30
Best Dairy, per lb.		.35
Victoria Creamery, per lb.		.50
Cowichan Creamery, per lb.		.55
Comox Creamery, per lb.		.50
Salt Spring Isl. Creamery, lb.		.50
Flour.		
Royal Household, bag		1.85
Lake of the Woods, bag		1.85
Royal Standard, bag		1.85
Wild Rose, per sack		1.85
Robin Hood, per sack		1.85
Calgary, per bag		1.85
Moffat's Best, per bag		1.85
Drifted Snow, per sack		1.85
Three Star, per sack		1.85
Snowflake, per bag		1.50
Fruit		
Watermelons, per lb.		.02
Lemons, per dozen		.35
Bananas, per dozen		.35
Grape Fruit (California)	.10@	.12½
Pineapples, per lb.		.08
Plums per box		.35@.40
Local Plums, per crate		1.10
Elberta Peaches, per crate		1.25
Peaches, per basket		.40
Pears, per basket		.35
Grapes, per lb.		.10@.15
Canteloupes, each		.10 .15 .20
Vegetables		
Tomatoes, per lb.		.10
Parsley, per bunch		.05
Cucumbers, each	.05, .10@	.15
Potatoes, per sack		1.50
Cabbage, new, per lb.		.05
Garlic, per lb.		.30
Onions, 8 lbs.		.25
Beets, per lb.		.04
Carrots, per lb.		.04
New Carrots, 3 bunches		.10
String Beans, local, 3 lbs.		.25
Vegetable Marrow, per lb.		.04
Cauliflower, each	.15@	.25
Corn, per dozen		.25
Celery, per stalk		.10@.15
Green Peppers, per lb.		.20
Green Onions, 3 bunches		.10
Meats		
Beef, per lb.		.07@.25
Mutton, per lb.		.08@.20
Mutton, Australian, per lb.		.08@.15
Veal, dressed, per lb.		.10@.30
[illegible]		.10@.35
Fowl [illegible]		.15

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SAWMILL MERGER

Western Washington and Western Oregon Tidewater Plants Likely to Consolidate.

PORLAND, Ore., Sept. 14.—A merger of tidewater sawmills, representing 65 per cent. of the output of Western Washington and Western Oregon, promoted by Henry J. Pierce of Spokane, for Eastern capitalists, is virtually assured. It was learned today that mill owners representing more than 50 per cent. of the Columbia river cut had signed the consolidation agreement.

Mill men representing over 85 per cent. of the output of the Gray's Harbor, Wash., district had already joined the proposed merger.

The agreement to which the mill men had subscribed stipulated that conditions are to be binding only in the event of manufacturers representing 65 per cent. of the output of the tidewater sawmills of the two states become parties to the contract prior to January 1, 1912.

It is further stipulated in the agreement that Mr. Pierce, who has not disclosed his plans, shall have until March 1, 1912, to organize the proposed company and take over the mill properties and timber holdings of the contracting lumbermen.

It is also incumbent on Mr. Pierce and his associates satisfactorily to show to the mill men adequate capital for acquiring sufficient additional timber to insure the continuous operation of all the mills embraced in the merger at full capacity for a period of 10 years.

Acquisition of the mills to be included in the consolidation will [illegible] an expenditure of [illegible] 000,000.

Mr. Pierce [illegible] for [illegible] merger [illegible] that city who are interested in the Columbia river sawmills.

The Vancouver News-Advertiser says: "The Victoria Times, with Mr. Templeman on the ground, appeals day after day to the electors to vote for reciprocity and reduce the cost of their breakfast. By way of illustration the Times prints a breakfast bill of fare showing how much cheaper a meal of vegetables, ham, eggs and butter could be furnished in Seattle than in Victoria.

"This means only one thing. Mr. Templeman wishes the people of Victoria and Vancouver, the workers on the railway, in the lumber woods and the mining camps to buy their farm and dairy produce, meat and garden stuff where the people of Seattle buy them. British Columbia's representative in the Cabinet is out to boom the farms and orchards of Washington State, the chicken ranches of Kansas, of Nebraska, the cattle and sheep ranches of Montana. It is not good business for a Canadian minister.

"Once more we say that the Conservatives take direct issue with Mr. Templeman when he asks us to throw to the dogs the British Columbian fruit grower, and the farmers of the West. In one of his recent public speeches Mr. Templeman contended that the British Columbia consumers were paying excessive prices on imported [illegible] and the same excess on the [illegible] bought in Canada. This declaration is [illegible] capital for the Conservatives of Alberta who are quoting on every platform [illegible] government argument against the [illegible] Alberta products in British Columbia. It is quoted with [illegible] effect by the Conservatives in the British Columbia [illegible] and dairy districts.

"So it should be. The farmers of the province ought to know that reciprocity means the loss of their home market [illegible]

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MUSIC, Piano and Violin only. Dr. J. J. Murtagh resumes tuition Sept. 1. Vacancies. Address 964 Mason street, city.

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PIANO instruction; advanced grades and Myers' Music Method for Children. Miss May Hamilton, 27 The Vernon, Douglas st.

VOICE Production and Singing—Lessons given by Paul Edmonds, of London and Paris, baritone with Tetrazzini on her 1909 British tour. Studio 13 Hibben Block, Government st. Phone R 2495.

LODGES AND SOCIETIES

ANCIENT Order of Foresters, Court Northern Light, No. 5935, meets at Foresters' Hall, Broad St., 2nd and 4th Wednesdays. W. F. Fullerton, Sec.

CANADIAN Order of Foresters, Court Columbia, No. 834, meets in Foresters' Hall, Broad St., 4th Thursday. Visiting brethren welcome. Alex. Peden, Chief Ranger; R. W. G. Savage, Rec. Sec.

THE Daughters of England Benevolent Society meet in K. of P. Hall the third Tuesday of each month. Secretary, Mrs. A. E. Catterall, Linden avenue.

SONS of England, B. S. Alexandra Lodge 116, meets 1st and 3rd Wednesdays, K. of P. Hall. Jas. P. Temple, 18 Erie St., Pres.; J. Critchley, Sec., Sidney, B. C.

SONS of England, Pride of Island Lodge, No. 131, meets 2nd and 4th Tuesdays in A. O. F. Hall, Broad St. President, W. H. Trowsdale, 520 William st. Secretary, W. Dawson, Head st., Thoburn P. O.

SCHOOLS

OAK Bay Preparatory School for Children, Pleasant ave., Monterey place; Christmas term begins September 6. The curriculum includes piano, violin, singing, Swedish drill and dancing. The Misses King, Principals.

VANCOUVER HOTELS

HOTEL—Alhambra, Mrs. S. Thompson & Sons, proprietors; R. D. Thompson, manager. Corner Carroll and Water Sts., Vancouver, B. C. Vancouver's first hotel. Situated in the heart of the city. Modernly equipped throughout. Midday lunch a specialty. European plan. Famed for good whiskey.

HOTEL—Blackburn, A. E. Blackburn, proprietor. This well-known and popular hotel entirely rebuilt and refurnished, is now open to its patrons. Steam heat, fine commodious rooms, first-class dining-room, best attention to comfort of guests. American plan, $1.50 to $2.00 per day. European plan, 75c upwards. 218 Westminster Ave.

VICTORIA HOTELS

HOTEL—California Hotel, 13 Johnson St. Newly fitted up from bottom to top; good accommodation, sporting gallery, comprising life-sized photos of all the noted sports and athletes up to the present day. Bar always supplied with best goods. Thos. McManus, proprietor.

HOTEL Canada, 1711 Broad street, between Johnson and Yates streets, Victoria, B. C. Rates $1.25 to $2.00 per day; special rates by the week. American plan. Telephone 1,093.

HOTEL—New Brunswick, [illegible]

HELP WANTED—MALE

BAKER wanted for bread and pastry; experienced. 712 Yates st.

BOY wanted, under sixteen, to leave city; light office work; good home; time for fishing and shooting given. Full particulars and nearest phone, Box 854, Colonist.

BOY wanted with wheel. Apply Royal Dye Works, 1303 Government Street.

BOYS wanted at once for the delivery department. David Spencer, Limited.

CARPENTERS wanted. Phone R1755.

CARPENTRY, jobbing and fence building wanted; estimates given. Box 598 Colonist.

GOOD agency proposition for capable man, owning motor car. Apply British Columbia Gas Machine Co., 731 Fort street.

GOOD, smart boy wanted, at the Colonist Job Department.

HEAD SALESMAN and buyer for the curtain and blind department; only those thoroughly experienced need apply in first instance, stating age, experience, and salary expected to Assistant Manager, Hudson's Bay Stores, Vancouver, B.C.

INSURANCE man wanted; salary. Room 312 Sayward bldg.

JAPANESE wanted, general working office store, hotel, bar, rooming house. P.O. Box 388, Sagara.

SIX boys wanted at the British American Paint Co.

SMART Boys wanted. Apply Spencers' Delivery Department.

WANTED—Boy with knowledge of typewriting to learn Customs work. Apply by letter to Box 20, Colonist Office.

WANTED—First class solicitor, liberal commission. Apply Manager, P. O. Box 318.

WANTED, bright boy as office and messenger boy at the Colonist Office.

WANTED—Men to deliver telegrams. Western Union Telegraph Co., 1126 Government st.

WANTED, two good real estate agents; salary and commission. Apply 302, Times Building.

WANTED, a bus driver immediately. Apply Westholme Hotel.

WANTED, first-class accountant; salary $100 per month. Apply with references and testimonials to Box 15, Duncans.

WANTED—Boys, to work after school and evenings. Western Union Telegraph Co., 1126 Government st.

WANTED—Third Class Engineer, for night. Wages $3.50. Apply: Island Lumber Co., Duncans, B.C.

WANTED—Messenger Boys. Western Union Telegraph Co., 1126 Government st.

WANTED, 6 extra shoe salesmen at White's Shoe Store, 1321 Douglas st.

WANTED at once, a salesman to represent the largest nursery company in B. C.; must be energetic, honest and reliable; a man of experience in selling nursery stock preferred, but any man of ability can succeed under our plan. We grow a full line of fruit trees, ornamentals, shrubs, and roses of first quality; our terms are liberal and position permanent. This is an opportunity for one or two good men to become connected with a progressive home company. British Columbia Nurseries Co., Ltd., 1493, Seventh ave. W., Vancouver, B. C.

WANTED, good sized boy to carry a Colonist route, vicinity of Upper Fort st. Apply the Daily Colonist Circulation Dept.

WANTED—Experienced solicitors of good address and appearance, for city and outside; liberal commissions. Apply to the manager of the British Columbia Gas Machine Co., 731 Fort Street.

WANTED, two automobile drivers for taxi-cabs. Apply 782 Colonist.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

DRESSMAKING apprentices wanted. Apply at once to Miss Armstrong, Dressmaking parlors, David Spencer, Limited.

EMPLOYMENT—Help of all description wanted; waitresses, cooks, nursemaids, store clerks, etc.; good positions, good wages. Apply Vancouver Island Employment Bureau 1325 Douglas street, phone 1160.

GIRL WANTED to assist with housework. Mrs. Fawcett, 2603 Douglas st.

GIRL wanted as mother's help at once; good home to right girl. 515 Superior

SALES-GIRLS wanted—Experience unnecessary. E. P. Charlton & Co., Ltd., 5, 10 and 15c Store.

STEADY Employment—Sewing machine operators and folders; beginners taught; electric power; union wages; 8-hour day; half-holiday Saturday. Apply Turner, Beeton & Co.'s Shirt and Overall Factory, cor. Wharf and Bastion Sts., Victoria, B. C.

WANTED—Young girl to help with baby and light house work. Apply 457 Niagara Street.

WANTED, capable general servant. Apply 431 Young st. Phone R3165.

WANTED, a skirt maker. Apply Wm. Stewart, Ladies' Tailor, over Terry's Drug Store.

WE invite stenographers to register at our free employment department. We have a number of positions on our list. Remington Typewriter Co., Ltd., 216 Pemberton Blk.

WANTED—Saleslady for dry goods dept., experienced. Wescott's, 649 Yates Street.

WANTED, nurse housemaid; old country preferred. Apply between 10 and 1 p. m., 1034 Richardson st.

WANTED—A Good General Servant. Apply mornings, 649 Superior st.

WANTED, dressmaking by the day. Phone L2740.

WANTED, lady, who thoroughly understands manicuring and hair dressing. The Parisian Massage Parlors, 317-318, Sayward block.

WANTED immediately a woman to sew by the day. Apply 1022 Belmont ave.; telephone 754.

WANTED, young girl to look after little child during day; call or phone R1754 between 9 and 10:30 a.m. 1124 Fort st.

WANTED—Reliable person with phone to care for children, afternoons. Telephone R 2664.

WANTED—General servant for family of three, in small house. Apply mornings, 38 Dallas Ave. Phone R 1961.

WANTED—A general servant for family of three. Reply 1521 Camosun Street, City.

WANTED, ladies to make sofa pillow tops at home; good pay, all or spare time; experience unnecessary. 727 View st.

WANTED, a smart girl to learn ladies' tailoring. Apply G. H. Redman, 655 Yates st., upstairs.

WANTED, a woman over 30, to do general work for one lady. Telephone F 2365.

WANTED, two bookkeepers at Redfern & Sons, the Diamond Specialists.

WOMAN wanted, to do washing once a week. Apply 1119 North Park st.

WANTED—ROOM AND BOARD

CHRISTIAN carpenter wants board and room with Christian people in or near Oak Bay preferred. Apply Box 61, Colonist.

WANTED—By elderly lady, room and board in private family. Box 62 Colonist.

WANTED—Business lady, unfurnished room, board or use of kitchen, quiet home; central, or near car. Apply Box 504 Colonist.

WANTED, board and room by young man close to city hall. Box 3, Colonist.

YOUNG gentleman with references desires room and breakfast, privilege of dinner, in refined home, east of Vancouver street, vicinity Rockland and Linden favored. Must be attractive modern house or bungalow. Why not let me have your unoccupied room? Replies considered in confidence. Give particulars, phone, etc. Box 81 Colonist.

YOUNG business lady wishes room and board with quiet private family in James Bay. Box 69, Colonist.

WANTED, gentleman wants [illegible] and board [illegible] boarding house. Box 655, Colonist.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE

AN experienced bookkeeper would keep books for retail stores a few hours each day at small cost. Box 284 Colonist.

CARPENTER foreman, experienced on large work, wishes position with local contractor. Box 891 Colonist.

CHAUFFEUR-Mechanic, 10 years' experience, gasoline, White steam and electric. G. Barnes, 816 Douglas Street. Telephone 3185.

CHAUFFEUR—Efficient in usual running repairs; Scotchman, strictly temperate, four years experience, wishes employment in private family; reference. Box 880 Colonist.

CHAUFFEUR obliged to be in Victoria for a few months, offers services for very moderate salary if provided with board; highest references; demonstration cheerfully given. Box 785 Colonist.

CHAUFFEUR Mechanic requires situation own repairs; ten years' experience. Chauffeur, 2000 Store st., Victoria.

DRAUGHTSMAN, with knowledge of survey, design, decorative drawing and typewriting, desires position in an office; moderate salary. P. W. Elmore, 121 Pemberton block.

EXPERIENCED bookkeeper desires position, city references. Apply Box 915, Colonist.

POSITION as storekeeper or shipping clerk required by young man; abstainer. W. D. M., 1011 Maclure st.

SITUATION Wanted as manager for fruit and chicken ranch or large farm; married, large experience. Reply Colonist Office Box 71.

THOROUGHLY experienced bookkeeper, double entry, with all round practical knowledge of business, requires engagement excellent credentials. Address P. O. Box 1445.

WANTED—By experienced farmer, position as manager or caretaker. Address Box 82 Colonist.

WANTED—Position as assistant in dry goods or gent's furnishing store; office and counter experience; good references. Box 15, Colonist.

WANTED, a position as valet, butler or Chauffeur. Box 51, Colonist.

WANTED, situation as engineer; have had a long experience with engines and boilers, also with traction engines and with Whitehead and Craven's brick machines. Reply to W. Burrows, 6 Buckley Hall Lane, Rochdale, Lancashire, England. For further particulars apply to M. C. Fielden, Duncans, Vancouver Island, B. C.

SITUATION WANTED—FEMALE

A GENTLEMAN can recommend an experienced housekeeper, good cook and caterer. P. O. Box 663, City.

A LADY with considerable hospital experience desires chronic case or care of aged; terms moderate. Miss Pratt, 1741 Second Avenue, Grand View, Vancouver.

AN English lady wishes to find work for a capable, healthy, middle-aged friend who is coming out to B. C. in October; very good housekeeper, plain cook and needlewoman. Box 499, Colonist.

DANCES—Engagements desired by lady pianist for coming season; classes, etc. Box 237 Colonist.

DRESSMAKER, experienced, desires daily engagements; $2.00. Box 911 Colonist.

DRESSMAKER, high-class, will work in ladies' homes. Phone R2376 between 6 and 8 p. m.

ENGLISH governess, experienced, desires post, daily or resident; good references. 999 Colonist.

ENGLISHWOMAN desires position as housekeeper or home help; thoroughly domesticated; town or country. Box 1, Colonist.

EXPERIENCED dressmaker wants work by day or week. 1353 Pembroke st.

GIRLS unable to attend school, can have lessons from certificated teacher; references. Box 958, Colonist.

GOVERNESS desires morning engagement; excellent references. Box 55, Colonist.

GRADUATE nurse is open for engagements; willing to travel. E. P., P.O. Box 1407.

LADIES' tailored suits made at lady's home; only best work. Phone R2376.

MORNING housework wanted, near town. S., 801 Penwell st.

NURSE (maternity) Edinburgh trained, experienced and capable, desires engagements from December 1; fees moderate. Box 53, Colonist.

POSTS wanted in Duncans or Cowichan district by three friends, near each other; nurse, help, governess; recommended by Colonial Intelligence League. Apply Miss Dorothy Bavis, Mount Edwards, Victoria.

PLAIN sewing done at 628 Humboldt st.

RESPECTABLE woman, with 8 year old girl, wishes situation as housekeeper for man and wife where child would not be objected to. Box 943 Colonist.

WANTED, by Scotswoman, position as housekeeper, useful companion, or lady help. Box 836 Colonist.

WANTED by young lady, position as housekeeper or any place of trust; write Box 4492 Colonist.

WANTED, daily work by young women; housework or cooking. C. G., 141 Ladysmith st., James Bay.

WANTED—By young lady, position as cashier or office assistant; experienced; good city reference. Box 33, Colonist.

WANTED—Re-engagement as resident governess, by experienced Englishwoman; Continental French and German; music. Hamam, P. O., Courtenay, Comox.

WANTED—By young girl, position as apprentice to first-class dressmaker. Box 66 Colonist.

YOUNG lady wishes position as housekeeper to widowers or bachelors, $30. Address Box 885 Colonist.

BUSINESS CHANCES

FOR sale, best rooming house in Victoria; always filled. 1226 Langley st.

FURNITURE of 8-roomed rooming house for sale; furniture all new; long lease rooms all rented with a good class of roomers; party will sacrifice for cash, as they must go north. Apply on premises, 521 Simcoe st., Victoria.

HOTEL wanted, to rent, lease or purchase on terms, a moderate sized hotel, town or country. Address full particulars to R. Scott, Box 1926 North Vancouver, B. C.

MAN (practical) wishes to meet party with capital to start manufacturing article in good demand. Box 25, Colonist.

MILK business for sale, consisting of two delivery horses, milk cart, wagon and buggy, cans, etc., nearly 100 customers; must be sold at once. Apply P. O. Box 662.

PARTNER wanted, with $500, with slight knowledge of the real estate business; very live proposition; only those with business intentions need apply to E 310 Pandora avenue.

WANTED partner in established real estate business; must have good knowledge of city, and small capital. Address Box 47, Colonist.

DRESSMAKING

DRESSMAKERS—Mrs. and Miss Ingle, late of Regent St., London, are now open for commissions; day and evening gowns a specialty. 847 Niagara St.; phone L 2085.

EXPERIENCED Children's Dressmaker. M. Y., 26 Menzies st.

DRESSMAKING—The Misses Roberts, 26 Menzies Street. Phone L 1737.

MISS DEVEREUX'S EMPLOYMENT AND GENERAL AGENCY

1314 Fort st. Tel. 447. Hours, 10-12, 2-4.

WANTED, young lady help for child of 6 years; afternoons from 1 to 7 p. m.; references.

WANTED, 2 maids as mother's help; experience with children necessary; city positions.

WANTED house-parlormaid; small family; experience necessary.

WANTED several women for house cleaning.

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FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

BECHSTEIN Piano offered for $350. Hicks Lovick Piano Co., Opposite Post Office.

BICYCLE, Gent's English; almost new; $25. Box 388, Colonist.

BLACK evening skirt on silk lining, well made, also a white crepe de chene dinner dress, lined silk; both good bargains. Box 979 Colonist.

FOR SALE—Single Action Harp, nearly new. Apply: Box 940, Colonist.

FOR sale—One 7 x 10in. double drum donkey engine, suitable for logging, clearing land, pile driving, with blocks and street cables; can be seen working at D. Sandersons', Milnes Landing, Sooke, B. C. Further particulars at 2323 Vancouver St., City.

FOR SALE—One twelve bore hammerless Gun, double barrel. Box 30, Colonist.

FOR SALE—Best English made high frame Gent's Beeston Humber Bicycle, in excellent order; cost new, $100; may be seen at Cahalan, 217 Douglas st.

FOR SALE—Auto Driving Coat, frieze leather lined, not soiled, also suitable for hack driver. Price $30. Foster, Yates street fire hall.

FOR sale—About three billion feet timber in British Columbia; for price, terms and full details apply owner, Box 558 Colonist.

FOR SALE—Fall Wheat and Tares, mixed. Apply: M. Finnerty & Sons, Cadboro Bay.

FOR sale, chaff cutter; $7. Phone 574, mornings.

GAGNON Piano for sale. 644 Belton Ave.

LADIES' bicycle for sale, nearly new; bargain, $25. Apply 1107 View Street.

NEW motor boat 28ft. by 5ft, 20 h. p., 4 cylinder motor, speed 17 miles; automobile control, finished throughout in mahogany, $850 if sold at once. Box 559 Colonist.

NEW laid eggs, direct from the farms at Gordon Head and Cadboro Bay, including the famous ranch of I. V. Cooper. We deliver them three times weekly to the Tea Kettle, Douglas street, and guarantee them absolutely fresh. Orders taken for milk fed chickens, ducks, fruit and vegetables at the above address or Madrona Farm, Gordon Head.

SAW Mill Machinery—For sale, cheap and on easy terms, 1-6in.x15in. planer and matcher; Cowan make, in good running order. Cameron Lumber Co., Ltd.

SELLING out buggies, surreys, and spring wagons at cost. B. C. Hardware Co., Ltd., 733 Johnson st.; phone 1611.

TWO beautiful black bear skins, head and claws on, not dressed; $15 each. Box 976 Colonist.

USED upright Bechstein Piano offered for $350. Hicks, Lovick Piano Co., opposite Post Office.

WOOD—L. N. Wing On, 1709 Government St.; phone 23.

$350—Five-passenger, 24 horse power Reo; top, wind shield, speedometer, gas lamps, etc. Leaving for California Sept. 1. L. F. Pike, 210 Grand Trunk Pacific Dock, Seattle.

MISCELLANEOUS

ANTIQUE Jewelry, diamonds, engravings and pictures bought and sold. Mrs. A. A. Aaronson, 85 Johnson St.

BAGGAGE promptly handled at current rates by the Victoria Transfer Co.; phone 129. Office open night and day.

EXPERIENCED Maternity Nurse taking patients in her home at $35.00 for two weeks. Apply: 951, Colonist.

FOR chimney building and small concrete jobs, B. Kirk, Cloverdale ave. P. O., Victoria.

I WILL not be responsible for debts contracted by my wife. Alex. Chisholm.

IF you live where you cannot connect with a sewer, look into the merits of the "Red Cross chemical closets, which are sanitary and odorless. R. Harris & Co., 1107 Langley Street.

JIM Lee & Co., Dressmaker & Tailor; perfect fit guaranteed; corner Government and Bay st. P. O. Box 973, Victoria, B. C.

LADY would like care of child in her own home; infant not objected to, or two children; one bedroom to let. Box 44, Colonist.

MANICURING, electric massage and children's hair cutting done by appointment at ladies' homes. Hours from 8 a. m. to 12. May Arnold, 734, Humboldt st., phone R2943.

MODERN Phrenology—Both sexes should consult Professor Macdonald, nature's gifted phrenologist, the oldest and best, regarding occupation, marriage, success, keeping young—everything. Offices, 1230 Government Street.

NO shooting allowed on Coal Island; trespassers will be prosecuted. S. Fairclough, Coal Island.

NOW OPEN.—Ladies' and gents' tailor. The newest and latest style. We also give you fit guarantee and satisfaction. Charlie Wah, 1509 Douglas street.

OPPORTUNITY knocks but once at your door. Do you want to sell real estate, your own, in the United States? See or write me, Herman Semmelman, Westholme Hotel, Victoria, B. C. representing Curry Development Co., West Point, Miss., U. S. A.

OUR piano tuning and repairing staff is the best in the city. Phone 885 Fletcher Bros.' Music Store.

REMOVAL notice—I still do lighting work—all my screws hold. Provis, Glenarm, Craigflower. Phone M 3028.

THE Home Builders—Are you going to build? Drop me a card. Homes built on the instalment plan; plans and estimates free; all kinds of building work; all work guaranteed; 25 years' experience; jobbing work. Dawson, 1341 Gladstone Ave.

THE Japanese lilies in the large, round bed at the entrance to the exhibition grounds were planted by and are the property of The Oak Bay Nursery (midway between the Oak Bay and Willows car line, P. O. Box 1029, from whom bulbs can be obtained. They also supply Dutch bulbs, hyacinths, tulips, daffodils, etc., and all classes of fruit, shade and ornamental trees, roses, shrubs, etc. Gardens planted, lawns laid and men supplied.

TO PURCHASE, old mahogany furniture, clocks, grandfather clocks, coins, stamps, etc. A. A. Aaronson, 85 Johnson.

WANTED, ladies to call at the new Massage and Hair Dressing Parlors, rooms 317-318, Sayward building. The Parisian Toilet Specialty Co.

WANTED—Men and Women to learn the barber trade; wages paid while learning; the largest and most complete school in the northwest; wages $18 and $35 per week when qualified; call or write for free catalogue. The original J. A. Moler Barber College, 846 Main st., Vancouver B.C.

ROOM AND BOARD

BOARD and room—775 Market st.

BOARD AND ROOM—1011 McClure st., off Vancouver. Phone L 1687.

BOARD and room for young men at 860 Queens Avenue.

CAHALAN—Pleasant private home for paying guests; opposite lake, Beacon Hill Park. 236 Douglas street. Phone 1995.

COMFORTABLE furnished room with board, close to park, on car line; every convenience. 447 Niagara street; phone L1585.

LODGINGS for respectable men; board if required. 717 Pembroke st.

ROOMS and board, beautifully situated near Gorge, close to car line; terms moderate. Miss Chamberlain, 1237 Sunnyside ave., off Craigflower rd.; phone R3128.

ROOM and Board. 121 South Turner St.

ROOM and board in private country home, healthily situated; every comfort within walking distance of car; phone. Box 531 Colonist.

SUPERIOR rooms and board by the week and month. Hotel Canada, Broad street.

TO LET—Comfortable room with board for two young men. 1061 Pandora avenue.

MONEY TO LOAN

$50,000 to loan on mortgage [illegible] [illegible]

PROPERTY WANTED

ABOUT two acres of land wanted, for chicken and vegetable garden, with cottage preferred. Price must be reasonable; near station or stage. Or uncleared, good land. Box 84 Colonist.

CORNER lots wanted, either for cash or on terms. Room 125, Pemberton block.

GIVE us a listing of your medium priced houses; we have several buyers. Jones Bros., 413 Sayward block.

I WANT to buy a small house or cottage; can pay $350 to $450 cash, balance monthly. Box 968 Colonist.

I WANT to buy from 5,000 to 20,000 acres of land on the northern part of the Island. I mean business. Address Box 55, Colonist.

LIST your vacant lots with us; we have buyers for them if the price is right. Jones Bros., 413 Sayward Blk.

WANTED, at once, vacant property on Hillside, at a medium price. Jones Bros., 413 Sayward Blk.

WANTED, 5 or 6 roomed house, close to Outer wharf; must be in good condition and on full sized lot. May & Tisseman, Room 3, McGregor Block, 634 View st.

WANTED, few lots from owner; state price. Box 46, Colonist.

WE are revising our lists. Have we the latest price on that property of yours? If not, let us have it. Jones Bros., estate agents, 413 Sayward Block.

WE are prepared to purchase centrally located business properties in the city of Victoria; also farms land in or close to Saanich Peninsula. Let us have your listings, with best prices and terms, in writing. J. E. Smart & Co., 405-6 Pemberton Building, P. O. Drawer 761.

HOUSES FOR SALE

A FIVE-ROOMED bungalow for sale; all large, airy rooms, thoroughly modern; corner lot; chance to make money. Phone L 2775.

A NEW 4-roomed bungalow, near sea; $1,800. Box 933, Colonist.

A REAL snap—$500 cash; a five roomed nicely finished house, on a full sized lot, with good garden; one lot removed from Burnside rd.; only a few minutes to the car; a home and a money maker. Herbert Cuthbert & Co., 635 Fort st.

A SOUND proposition—One thousand dollars handles an 8-roomed house on Fernwood, one minute from Fort st car; furnace heated; electric light; balance in rent. Box 89, Colonist.

FIVE roomed bungalow, fully modern; a genuine snap; see owner, 2523 Asquith st.

FOR SALE—Two 6-room Houses, nearly new, all modern, just on ½-mile circle. Renting at between $50 and $60 per month. Bargain at $8,000 for the two. P.O. Box 1077.

FOR SALE—Good five-roomed Cottage, on large lot, facing two streets; also three good building lots; terms. Owner, 703 Pine.

FOR a few days only; owner going away; new 6 roomed house, cement basement, on Queen's ave., for $5,250 only; this price including furniture; quick action necessary to secure at this price. R. W. Clark, Mahon Bldg., 1112 Government st.; phone 1092.

FOR sale—New, modern 6-roomed bungalow, half block from car and beach. Apply corner Lillian and Fairfield Roads.

FOR sale, 5-roomed bungalow, on Hulton st., piped for furnace; ready for plastering; on easy terms. 852, Colonist.

FOR SALE—Three-roomed house and lot, 51 x 140, near Gorge car line, easy terms. Box 875, Colonist.

FURNISHED, complete, and ready to move into; 8-roomed house, modern in every way, on lot 50x200 feet, one and a quarter miles from city hall; this is a bargain at $8,000, on easy terms. Western Lands Limited, corner Broad and View.

HILLSIDE—For sale, 7-roomed home, modern, price $7,000. See owner, Driard barber shop, Pemberton Block, or 1218 Hillside Avenue. Phone R 2444.

MODERN bungalow, four rooms, etc., every convenience, 100 yards from car; owner leaving country. Apply 140 Adelaide Street, Ross Bay.

TO RENT—FURNISHED ROOMS

COMFORTABLE ROOMS to let, suitable for two or three gentlemen, single beds, all modern conveniences. 1137 North Park st.

COMFORTABLE room, use of piano and telephone, in exchange for light service. Phone L 2635.

FIRST class rooms, with breakfast, for gentlemen. Mrs. E. H. Jones, 405 Michigan st., phone 1202.

FOR RENT—To Business Lady or Ladies, Furnished Bedroom and one sitting room, with use of kitchen. Apply 338 Michigan st.

FOR RENT—Double and single furnished rooms; board if desired. 570 Niagara.

FURNISHED room for rent with board, for one or two gentlemen, 2543 Quadra Street.

FURNISHED room, suit young lady; home privileges; board; close to car. 1019 View st.

FURNISHED room—1146 Caledonia Ave.; take Spring Ridge car. 988 Colonist.

FURNISHED bedrooms, also housekeeping suites. 806 Cook Street.

FURNISHED rooms to let. 342 Michigan st. Phone R914.

FURNISHED ROOMS to rent, cheap. 919 Pembroke st.

FURNISHED room. 1423 Fort street.

LANGLEY ROOMS—Rooms from $1.50 to $3 a week. 1211 Langley st.

NEW, modern, steam heated rooms, James Bay hotel, Government st.; $4.00 week; opens November.

NICELY furnished double and single rooms, bath, breakfast if desired. 1435 Fort st.; phone 2881.

NICELY furnished double and single rooms, breakfast if desired, phone L2068, 1003 Carberry Gardens.

QUIET front bedrooms; suit one or two respectable men; one minute from car. 1342 Vining st.

ROOM for rent. 1109 Johnson Street cor Cook.

SUPERIOR furnished rooms, 432 Superior st.; bath, car. Phone L 2016.

TO let—1133 Fort Street, nicely furnished rooms, breakfast if desired. Phone.

TO LET—Newly Furnished Rooms in modern house, steam heat, bath, telephone, two blocks from Parliament Buildings. Apply 339 Michigan st.

TO rent, two bright rooms, furnished or unfurnished, private house, on car line; moderate. 1026 Hulton st., Oak Bay.

TO rent—Centrally located, attractively furnished rooms, all conveniences. 1130 Yates street, phone 2184.

TO let, nicely furnished rooms, terms moderate; breakfast if desired. 331 Michigan st.

TO rent, 2 furnished rooms; hot and cold water, bath and phone. Apply phone L1423, between 1 and 7 p. m.

VICTORIA West, pleasant room, opens on to bathroom; 2 beds; suit two friendly parties, or full board, as desired. Phone MM 747.

TO LET—HOUSES

FOR rent, house, 5 rooms, [illegible] [illegible] Apply 478 Young st.

FURNISHED and unfurnished houses to rent in all parts of the city. [illegible] Realty Co., 501 [illegible]

SEVEN roomed [illegible] [illegible] Colonist.

TO rent, [illegible]

[illegible]

PROPERTY FOR SALE

A CHEAP cottage for sale, 5 rooms, including bath, hot water and electric lights, on large corner lot. Apply to Owner, 161, Oswego st., corner Niagara st., James Bay.

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A SNAP—I will sell my nice, level and grassy lot on Mount Stephen st., for $850; $300 cash, balance arranged. Address Box 94, Colonist.

A SNAP—Two lots corner of Monterey and MacNeil, $900 each. Apply Box X Y Z, Colonist.

ALPHA st., fine lot, 40x125; for only $1,000; $400 cash, balance 6, 12 and 18 months at 7 per cent. Moore and Johnston, 632 Yates st. Phone 627.

ALPHA Street—3 lots, 40 x 140 each, for only $2,700, one-third cash, balance 6, 12 and 18 months. 632 Yates Street. Phone 627.

AN ideal home and poultry ranch, three acres, with new 6-roomed bungalow, pantry, bath (h. and c.), linen, glass and china cupboards, city water, etc. Stables and buggy shed, poultry run and houses for 250 birds; grand view of mountains, only a short walk from Douglas St. car line. Price, $6,500 on terms. Apply owner, Box 712 Colonist.

A SNAP—Richmond ave., between Fort and Oak Bay ave., on a corner; large house and two lots, 120x130; for quick sale only, $5,500; easy terms. Hillside ave., east of Douglas st., 5 room house, modern, on lot 45x100 at ground floor price; owner needs the money; price $4000; terms easy; buy now and profit at the seller's sacrifice. Apply P. O. Box 273.

BUSINESS section; large lot; only $8000; on Caledonia ave.; also splendid corner on Hillside, for $2,500; both these are safe investments. R. W. Clark, 1112 Government; phone 1092.

CHAPMAN and Cook sts.—Lot 50x125; only $3,000; one third cash, balance 6, 12 and 18 months at 7 per cent. Moore and Johnston, 632 Yates st.; phone 627.

CRAIGFLOWER Road—Near Lampson, 4 lots, 6-roomed house, large garden, quantity fruit trees, $5,250, easy terms. Box 976 Colonist.

EXCLUSIVE sale of 100 feet on Hillside ave., near Douglas st.; $8,000; $2,000 will handle this; see us early, for what we advertise we sell. Jones Bros., real estate agents, 413 Sayward Block.

FIFTEEN acres, first-class land; 2 acres cleared, some slashed, balance easily cleared; small chicken house; water assured; one mile Cowichan station; price $2,000; half cash. Apply Colonist Box 935.

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FOR sale—Five lots on Hulton Street and Cowan Avenue, one block from car. Price, $3,000, terms. P. O. Box 1325.

FOR sale, Kingston st., facing south; 60x120; lot; $2,500; terms. Apply Box 840, Colonist.

FOR sale—Burleith, Arm Street, level, cleared lot, no rock, back and sides adjoin two waterfront and corner lots; view of Gorge. $1,250, terms. Box 72 Colonist.

FOR sale, triple corner on First and Fifth sts., Fort George; $750; and two inside lots $450; terms easy. Owner, Box 853, Colonist.

FOR sale, half acre hay land, on car line; black soil; no rock; ten minutes from Post Office; $2,000; terms. Apply Box 841, Colonist.

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FOR sale, the well-known Mayne Island nurseries, containing 5 acres of splendid bottom land, four greenhouses, hot water heated; an income producing property, in a delightful neighborhood; communication both with Vancouver and Victoria; to be sold as a going concern; a large proportion of the tomato crop yet to be marketed. See Mayne Island tomatoes at Patterson's or principal grocers; price $11,000. Photographs and full particulars from Grubb & Letts, Green block, Broad st.

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GRAHAM st., splendid lot, fine view, 51x135; $1,050; $450 cash, balance very easy; act quickly. Moore and Johnston, 632 Yates st.; phone 627.

KING'S rd. and Mount Stephen ave.; splendid lot, 40x126x78; $850; one third cash, balance 6, 12 and 18 months at 7 per cent. Moore & Johnston, 632 Yates st., phone 627.

LEE ave., fine lot, 60x120; $950; one third cash, balance 6, 12 and 18 months at 7 per cent. Moore & Johnston, 632 Yates st., phone 627.

NEWPORT ave., Oak Bay—3 lots, 50x110 each; 2 blocks from car; $750 each; terms. Reply Box 49, Colonist.

ONE high lot, no rock; 50x150; $750; one-third cash; terms. Edmonton rd. Box 678 Colonist.

RICHMOND ave., a corner lot, 52x120; price $775; terms one third cash, balance 6, 12 and 18 months. Western Lands, Limited, 1201 Broad st., corner View.

RICHMOND ave—$500 buys large lot, 60x100, just off Richmond and not more than 5 minutes' walk from the Willows car. This is easily worth $760, and will only remain at this price for a few days. May & Tisseman. Room 3, McGregor Block, 634 View st.

SIXTY feet on Hillside, near Cedar Hill rd.; $3,000; easy terms. Jones Bros., estate agents, 413 Sayward block.

SNAP, good corner on Cook st., for $2,600; $800 down; good warehouse site; 52x140; only $7,000. P. J. Webb, 629 Fort.

SNAP—$2,500; choice corner lot, Fairfield Estate, between Cook and Linden; close in; one third cash handles; you can make quick turnover here. National Realty Co., 1232 Government st.

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VANCOUVER st., near park; lot 50x117; $2,650; one third cash, balance 6, 12 and 18 months at 7 per cent. Moore and Johnston, 632 Yates st.; phone 627.

$900 cash will buy 2 full sized lots in [illegible] subdivision. Apply Box [illegible] Colonist.

$1000 will handle 67 feet on [illegible] ave., close to car; [illegible] come early. Jones Bros., [illegible] 413 Sayward block.

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A GOOD nanny goat wanted; state price and age. John Langton, 422 Luxton ave., James Bay, Victoria, B. C.

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FOR sale—Mares and colts. Apply Henry King, Cedar Hill.

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FOR sale, pure bred Buff Rock hens (laying); also rooster. Johnson, Eldon Place, Burnside rd.

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FOR sale—Team of horses for farm or general work, wagon and harness, cheap, $350. Reply Colonist Office Box 71.

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HORSES—For sale, car of heavy and light, at Sale Stable, Burleith park, Craigflower rd. Credit will be given on furnishing approved security. Apply to Stephenson & Derry, P. O. Box 1139; phones R2675 and Y209.

WANTED—Fresh cow or one about to calf; jersey or part jersey; must be quite and easily milked; state quantity; not more than 4 or 5 years old. P. O. Box 869.

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WANTED TO RENT

CHICKEN ranch—Wanted to rent, small fruit or chicken ranch; state full particulars as to situation, accommodation, rent, etc., to Box 93, Colonist.

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WANTED to rent—Farm of 50 to 100 acres for 4 or 5 years, some fruits; not too high rent. Reply Colonist Office Box 71.

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FOUND—Ladies' watch. Owner can have same by proving property and paying for this advertisement. Apply Box 81 Colonist.

LOST—Two bicycles (Rudge-Wedge). Any one finding same will be rewarded. Notify 66 Colonist.

LOST, land register certificate and other papers. Return to William G. H. Todd, 141 Croft st., reward.

LOST—From 1133 Fort Street, fawn cocker spaniel dog. Reward. Anyone harboring him will be prosecuted.

LOST—Monday, pearl sunburst brooch, probably on observation car trip to Esquimalt or Gorge. Return to Empress Hotel. Reward.

LOST, Gordon Setter dog; kindly phone 1014.

LOST, sterling silver chatelaine purse, containing sum of money in Empress Theatre. Reward at Colonist.

LOST—Silver handled umbrella, name on handle. Please return to F. Norris & Sons, 1320 Government Street. Reward.

LOST, young thoroughbred bulldog from 1005 Cook st.; wears black collar set with blue stones; license tag attached; anyone found harboring same will be prosecuted. Phone 2199.

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STRAYED, from Fernwood, black retriever dog pup. Finder will be rewarded on returning him to Coachman, Fernwood, 1618, Fort st.

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SCRAP Brass, copper, zinc, lead, cast iron, sacks and all kinds of bottles and rubber; highest cash prices paid. Victoria Junk Agency, 1620 Store St.; phone 136.

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WANTED, vertical steam boiler, secondhand, in good condition, about 6ft. high. For sale—Pigs, 7 and 12 weeks old. H. Alexander, Koenigs P.O., Shawnigan Lake.

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THREE lots on Obed and Donald Streets, 50 x 133 feet, price $575, and $650 for corner; quarter cash, balance easy terms. This is a good buy.

TWO and a quarter acres on Fairfield Rd., fronting on three streets; will subdivide into fourteen good sized lots, all clear; no bush or rock, within the mile and half circle. Price, $10,000, third cash. Balance arranged.

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FOUR roomed cottage, near car; $1,500.

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$6500—Eight roomed house on Government st., close to park; modern; nice basement; terms easy.

$6600—Eight roomed house on Fell st; two lots, 50x135; a handsome and comfortable modern residence; $1,500 cash, balance easy.

$5500—Seven roomed house on Oak Bay Esplanade; new frame house, with cement basement, right on beach, with magnificent view of the straits; one third down, balance to be arranged.

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PERFECTLY equipped country house with exquisite gardens and river frontage on Cowichan Bay, opposite the Cowichan Tennis club, a mile and a half from the Golf Links, with stabling and paddocks for three horses and a cow, orchard, kitchen gardens, boathouse and anchorage for launch; the beauty and advantages of the place are exceptional for Cowichan; ready for occupation.

100-ACRE dairy farm, 25 acres cleared, 30 acres bottom land; 8 roomed house, barn for 17 head of cattle and three horses; stock and implements included.

WITHIN a mile and a half from Duncans, with large stretch of lake frontage; first-class milk ranch; 45 acres cultivated; good house, barn and outbuildings; on very easy terms.

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HARDY Bay, near—10,000 acres agricultural land, 10 per cent in grass, balance easily cleared; $10.00 per acre; easy terms.

WATERFRONT, Sooke; 1,000 acres, $15 per acre.

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WATERFRONT, Departure Bay, Nanaimo; 3¾ acres, house, outbuildings, fruit orchard; $5,250.

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WATERFRONT, on island near Chemainus 104 acres, house, etc.; $3,500.

WATERFRONT, Nanoose; 140 acres; $50 per acre.

WATERFRONT, Elk Lake; 5 acres, $1,500

WATERFRONT, Cowichan Bay, 5.41 acres; $2,700.

WATERFRONT, near Beecher Bay, Sooke; 150 acres; $40 per acre.

WILSON Street, Victoria West, new house and lot, $3,750.

COOK Street—North of Fairfield Road, corner lot, $4,000; inside lot, $3,000.

PROSPECT Lake (near) 115 acres, $1,700.

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HOLLAND Avenue, Victoria; [illegible] acres cleared, 4-roomed house, $3,200.

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COWICHAN Lake; 30 acre blocks, waterfront; good land; $160 per acre.

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TWENTY-FIVE acres, nearly all cleared, 5-roomed house, stable, $7,000.

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FOUR lots, Beach Drive; beautiful view; $1,100 each; terms.

ONE lot, Pine st., Victoria West; 180ft. from car line; $1,100, terms.

ELEVEN room house, John st., Rock Bay; large lot; $7,000 terms.

SEVEN roomed house, McPherson ave.; new, beautiful location; $5,000; terms.

SIX roomed house, Dallas rd.; new; fine view; close to park; $12,000; terms.

EIGHT roomed house on Government st., near Toronto st.; snap, $7,000; terms.

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OH, you home site on Dean Heights. $100 buys you. Any person can pay $80 every three months and have a home of their own with every city convenience; total price per lot, $800; grand view; scarcely any taxes; good soil; no rock; large subdivision to select from; money doubling proposition.

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$475 for the deed of lot 50x133, on Gorge View, next road off Tillicum rd., fine large high lot; fine bungalows going up on adjacent lots.

$125 cash—Lots on Forbes st., few minutes from Spring Ridge car; grassy, high lots; price $550; balance $20 month.

$500 cash—Pinehurst; sea view unrivaled in Victoria; handsome lot, 50ft. on paved street; price $1050; balance 6, 12 and 18 months.

$500 cash—2 fine, high lots, with trees, on Wildwood ave., 2 minutes from Foul Bay car; price $1,500 for the two; good terms for balance.

BAZAN Bay, Saanich; $200 cash; adjoining site of new Dominion Government experimental farm, and just off Victoria to Sidney road; 5 lots 60x150, close to V. & S. station; beautiful seaside homesites; $650 each.

SIX acre orchard, full bearing, Quadra st., for $9,000; $1,500 will handle this, balance over 7 years; good for sub-division; there is a nice 6-room cottage and valuable crop on this orchard.

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BEAUTIFUL large lot, with new bungalow, 5 rooms, S. Saanich, close to end of Douglas st. car line; fine views; $500 cash will handle; price $4,500; terms.

HOME on Niagara st. carline, close to Beacon hill; 7-room bungalow, bath, electric light, etc.; lot 60x145; only $4,000; cash $1,400 will secure this, balance on mortgage at 6 per cent.

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JAMES Bay—House 6 rooms on Niagara st., corner; lot 53x120; price $3,700; very easy terms.

OUTERWHARF, 120x240; corners facing on three of the principal streets; price $15,000; one-quarter cash, balance to suit.

BIG bargain in Lansdowne rd.; lot 60x120, with 5-room house; price $2,650; terms $1,000 cash, balance 1 and 2 years.

MOUNT Tolmie district—8 acres, fronting on two highways; high ground, beautiful view; will subdivide to advantage; price $8,500; one-third cash, balance arranged.

LOT on Fernwood rd., near Haultain st., for $1,075; good terms.

THIRTY Feet on Yates st., $6,500.

LOT on Douglas st. car line; $3,000.

JAMES Bay, close to Parliament Buildings; house 9 rooms, modern; big lot, 87x166; price $7,700; easy terms to suit.

JUST off Burnside rd., big lot, 50x170; price $700; one third cash, balance 6, 12, 18, at 7 per cent.

GRAHAM st., Just above Finlayson st., ½ acre, snap at the price, $1,650; $600 cash, balance 6, 12, 18, at 7 per cent.

OAK Bay; new 5 roomed bungalow, modern; lot 50x120; price $3,200; $700 cash; mortgage $1,300; 3 years to run; balance $25 per month, including interest.

IMPERIAL REALTY CO.

Davis Chambers. Phone 1375 545 Bastion St.

CHEAP LOTS:

SUPERIOR st., on car line; lot 60x120; $2,100; $800 cash.

ONTARIO st., lot 60x122; $1,900; $500 cash.

BATTERY st., lot 60x120.

MENZIES st., lot with 60ft. frontage on car line; close to sea; $2,100; $600 cash.

CEDAR Hill rd., corner of Acton st.; 48x120; $850; $250 cash.

GORGE View Park—Half acre, with waterfrontage; a snap at $900; $300 cash.

MONTEREY ave.—Fine lot 50x125; given away at $750; $250 cash, balance over 2 years.

MONTEREY ave., close to Oak Bay ave., lot 50x120; $900; $300 cash.

SHAKESPEARE st., close to Ryan st., lot 50x110; $650; one third cash.

SHAKESPEARE st., near Haultain; lot 50x110; $575.

ALBINA st., lot 50x133; $550; quarter cash.

LAFAYETTE rd., Shoal Bay., lot 60x115; $75 cash, balance $75 per quarter.

OLIVER and McNeil, Oak Bay, corner lots, $775.

LAUREL and Smythe, Shoal Bay, corner lots, $700.

SHAWNIGAN lake, 1½ acres, with 400ft. waterfront; splendid soil; easy to clear, no rock; $850.

SOOKE REAL ESTATE OFFICE

Address H. B. Dale, Milne's Landing
(22 miles from Victoria), B. C.

SOOKE farms—Do you want a small farm or a village acre, with or without a house. I have 1,300 acres cut up into ½, 1 acre, 5 acre 10 acre blocks with or without waterfrontage from $50 to $200 acre (in 10 acre blocks) upwards.

TWO roomed shack and half acre, $600; seven roomed house and acre, $4,000; both in centre of village; good roads, school, church, store; 22 miles from Victoria. C. N. R. [illegible] building [illegible], excellent harbor. Stages [illegible] Tues., Thur., Sat.; [illegible] same hour daily. Call or address H. B. Dale, Milne's Landing, B. C.

PERMANENT BOARD FOR PARK CONTROL

Mayor Morley Would Place City's Parks, etc., in Hands of a Commission—Favors Extension of City Limits

If the proposal which Mayor Morley will make to the city council at tonight's meeting of that body is adopted the administration of the city's public parks and squares will once again be brought under the direction of a board similar to the organization which three years ago had charge of the parks, boulevards and squares. Since the parks board became defunct owing to the differences which arose between the council members and non-council members over the question of the right of the city to supervise expenditures the park system has been administered by the city, Alderman Humber, for the past two years, being chairman of the committee under whose jurisdiction the parks was placed. Now his worship will submit to the council at tonight's meeting a resolution to the effect that steps be taken to include all parks, open spaces and boulevards owned or controlled by the city, within and without the corporate limits, including Cedar Hill Park and the fair grounds, to be known as the Victoria Parks and Boulevards system and that the appointment or election of a suitable permanent and continuous commission for the proper management thereof be made; also to provide for an annual grant proportionate each year to the assessed valuation of all real property of the city.

City Extension.

Another new proposal which the mayor will submit to the council is that looking towards the extension of the city limits. His worship would include within the limits the following property: Sections 25, 26 and 27 of the municipality of South Saanich and that portion of Oak Bay contained within the following limits: "Beginning at the intersection of Lansdowne road with the city limits and following Lansdown road easterly to its intersection with Bowker road, thence easterly along Bowker road to the northeast corner of the site of the Home for the Aged and Infirm; thence following the boundary line south and west around, and to include the site of the Home for the Aged and Infirm to Cadboro Bay road; thence westerly along Cadboro Bay road to the city limits, the proposed new territory to include the Isolation hospital, the fair grounds and the Home for the Aged and Infirm."

Doubtless before the city could make the extension desired by the mayor resident in those sections of Oak Bay and South Saanich would have to be given an opportunity of expressing their desire for such absorption by the city. To take that section into the city would practically cut the municipality of Oak Bay in two at the same time taking from the municipality a large tract of land the value of which is rapidly growing. Such an extension would, however, bring the fair grounds within the city limits and to that extent give the city direct jurisdiction over that property which at present comes within the municipality of Oak Bay.

Jamaica's Garrison.

KINGSTON, Jamaica, Sept. 14.—It is reported here that the British war office is arranging to send 1,000 artilliary and infantry to strengthen the local garrison in view of the increased importance the station will assume with the opening of the Panama canal. It is expected that the naval yard at Port Royal, which was burned last spring, will be reopened soon.

Filipino Leper

SEATTLE, Sept. 14.—Paleby, the Filipino leper, will sail from Seattle on the U. S. army transport Dix on Friday. He is to arrive in Seattle tomorrow morning. The sufferer is crossing the continent in a box car. This, with the special cabin to be built for him on the deck of the Dix, will be burned after it is vacated by Paleby.

Murder of Wm. Urquhart.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Sept. 14.—"Mr. William Urquhart came to his death at his store, 54 Cordova street, on September 11, as the result of being shot by a person unknown," was the verdict of the jury in the inquest into the death of a prominent wine merchant last evening. One witness who had been in a shooting gallery next door said the murderer calmly walked out of the liquor store, glanced casually at the crowd, and walked away. No effort was made to detain him.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned, as Candy Manufacturers, at 758 Yates Street, in the City of Victoria, B. C., has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing to the partnership are to be paid to James Christy at 758 Yates Street aforesaid, and all claims against the said partnership are to be presented to the said James Christy by whom the same will be settled.

Dated the 12th of September, 1911.

JAMES CHRISTY,
GEORGES LERIK.

CANCELLATION OF RESERVE

NOTICE is hereby given that the reserve existing over vacant Crown lands in Cariboo District, situate on the South Fork of the Fraser River, notice of which, bearing date of June 26th, 1907, was published in the British Columbia Gazette dated August 29th, 1907, is cancelled in so far as the same relates to lands surveyed as lots numbered 3,040, 3,040a, 3,039, 3,049, 3,048, 3,051, 3,052, [illegible] 3,121, [illegible] and 3,114.

ROBT. A. RENWICK,
Deputy Minister of Lands.
Department of Lands, Victoria, B. C.
May 26th, 1911.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Vernon Court-House

Notice is hereby given that the time for receiving tenders for Court-house, Vernon, is extended up to 12 o'clock noon, Friday, 29th day of September, 1911.

J. E. GRIFFITH,
Public Works Engineer.
Department of Public Works,
Victoria, B.C., 11th September, 1911.

CANCELLATION OF RESERVE

NOTICE is hereby given that the reserve existing upon Crown lands in the Lillooet District and in the Kamloops Division of Yale District, notice of which was published in the British Columbia Gazette, dated May 5th, 1910, is cancelled in so far as the same relates to the lands in Lillooet District surveyed as lots numbered 1,833, 1,832, 1,831, 1,830, 1,820, 1,821, 1,822, 1,823, 1,818, 1,819, 1,809, 1,806, 1,810, 1,811, 1,817, 1,816, 1,813, 1,655, 1,654, 1,640, 1,639, 1,638, 1,641, 1,653, 1,662, 1,651, 1,643, 1,642, 1,791, 1,644, 1,645, 1,646, 1,647, 1,648, 1,649, 1,829, 1,828, 1,836, 1,826, 1,824, 1,425a, 1,430a, 1,629, 1,631, 1,617, 1,622, 1,637, 1,636, 1,635, 1,634, 1,614, 1,615, and 1,616.

ROBT. A. RENWICK,
Deputy Minister of Lands.
Department of Lands, Victoria, B. C.,
May 26th, 1911.

NOTICE

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that, under the authority contained in section 131 of the Land Act, a regulation was approved by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council fixing the minimum sale prices of first and second class lands at $10 and $5 per acre respectively.

This regulation further provided that the prices fixed therein should apply to all lands with respect to which the application to purchase were given favorable consideration after the date of said regulation, namely, April 3, 1911.

Further notice is now given that by virtue of a regulation approved by the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council on the 10th of May, 1911, that the regulation dated the 3rd April, 1911, be held not to apply to applications to purchase vacant Crown lands which were received by the Assistant Commissioners of Lands on or before the said April 3rd, 1911, and with respect to which the required deposit of fifty cents per acre had been received by said Commissioners on or before the said April 3rd, 1911.

ROBT. A. RENWICK,
Deputy Minister of Lands.
Department of Lands,
Victoria, B. C., 16th of May, 1911.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Vernon Court House

Sealed tenders, superscribed "Tender for Court House, Vernon," will be received by the Honorable the Minister of Public Works up to 12 o'clock noon of Thursday, the 21st day of September, 1911, for the erection and completion of a Court House at Vernon, B. C., in the Okanagan Electoral District.

Plans, specifications bills of quantities, contract and forms of tender may be seen on or after the 31st day of August, 1911, at the offices of the Government Agents, Vernon, Revelstoke, New Westminster, Nelson; the Provincial Timber Inspector, Vancouver; and the Department of Public Works, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B. C.

Intending tenderers can, by applying to the undersigned, obtain one copy of the drawings and one copy of the specifications and bills of quantities for the sum of twenty-five dollars ($25).

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted bank check or certificate of deposit on a chartered bank of Canada, made payable to the Honorable the Minister of Public Works, for a sum equal to five (5) per cent. of his tender, which shall be forfeited if the party tendering decline to enter into contract when called upon to do so. The check or certificates of deposit of unsuccessful tenderers will be returned to them upon the execution of the contract.

The successful tenderer shall furnish a bond of a guarantee company satisfactory to the Minister of Public Works, equal to ten (10) per cent. of the contract amount, for the due fulfilment of the contract.

Tenders will not be considered unless made out on the forms supplied, signed with the actual signature of the tenderer, and enclosed in the envelopes furnished.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

J. E. GRIFFITH,
Public Works Engineer.
Department of Public Works,
Victoria, B. C., Aug. 24, 1911.

NOTICE

Taxpayers of North Saanich Municipality please notice that September 15th, 1911, is the last day on which you are entitled to receive the rebate of 1-6 on taxes.

JAS. CRITCHLEY,
C. M. C. and Treasurer,
Sidney, B. C.

NOTICE.

The B. C. Drug Co., Ltd., has disposed of its stock and fixtures at 541 Johnson street to Mr. W. C. Goode, late manager for the company, who will continue the business as an up-to-date drug store, and for whom we bespeak a liberal patronage.

All monies due the company are payable to Mr. Goode, who is authorized to [illegible]

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Provincial Home, Kamloops, East Wing Addition

SEALED tenders, superscribed "Tender for East Wing Addition, Provincial Home, Kamloops," will be received by the Honorable the Minister of Public Works up to 12 o'clock noon of Wednesday, the 20th day of September, 1911, for the erection and completion of an east wing addition to the Provincial Home, Kamloops, B. C.

Plans, specifications, contract, and forms of tender may be seen at the offices of the Provincial Timber Inspector, Vancouver, B. C.; the Government Agents, Kamloops, New Westminster, and Revelstoke; and at the Department of Public Works, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B. C.

Intending tenderers can, by applying to the undersigned, obtain one copy of the drawings and one copy of the specifications of the sum of twenyt dollars ($20).

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque or certificate of deposit on a chartered bank of Canada, made payable to the Honorable the Minister of Public Works, for the sum of $5,000, which shall be forfeited if the party tendering decline to enter into contract when called upon to do so, or if he fail to complete the work contracted for. The cheques or certificates of deposit of unsuccessful tenderers will be returned to them upon the execution of the contract.

The successful tenderer shall furnish a bond of a guarantee company satisfactory to the Minister of Public Works, equal to ten (10) per cent. of the contract amount, for the due fulfilment of the contract.

Tenders will not be considered unless made out on the forms supplied, signed with the actual signature of the tenderer, and enclosed in the envelopes furnished.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

J. E. GRIFFITH,
Public Works Engineer.
Public Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., August 24, 1911.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the matter of the Estate of John Chapman Davie, deceased, and in the matter of the "Trustees and Executors Act."

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:—

Take notice that all persons having claims against the late Dr. J. C. Davie, who died on the 10th day of August, 1911, in the Municipality of Oak Bay, in the Province of British Columbia, are required to send by registered post prepaid, or to deliver, to the undersigned, Solicitor for R. T. Elliott and F. B. Pemberton, the Executors of the above mentioned estate, full particulars in writing of their claims and statements of their accounts, and the nature thereof, and the securities (if any) held by them, duly verified by statutory declaration:

AND FUTHER TAKE NOTICE that after the 1st day of October, 1911, the said Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said Executors shall then have had notice.

Dated this 30th day of August, 1911.

C. F. DAVIE.

Of Room 203, Pemberton Building, Fort Street, Victoria, B. C., Solicitor for R. T. Elliott and F. B. Pemberton, the Executors of the above mentioned estate.

CANCELLATION OF RESERVE

NOTICE is hereby given that the reserve existing over certain lands in Range 5, Coast District, notice of which bearing date of July 13, 1908, and December 17, 1908, were published in the British Columbia Gazette in the issues of July 16, 1908, and December 17, 1908, respectively, is cancelled in so far as the same relates to lands surveyed as the east half and northwest quarter, section 8, west half of section 8 and northeast quarter section 9; section 14, north half and southeast quarter, section 15, north half and southwest quarter, section 16, section 17, fractional north half section 18, sections 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29,30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35 and 36, all in Township 18, range 5 Coast District.

ROBERT A. RENWICK,
Deputy Minister of Lands.
Department of Lands, Victoria,
June 16, 1911.

CANCELLATION OF RESERVE

NOTICE is hereby given that the reserve existing over certain lands situated in Range 5, Coast District, notice of which bearing date of December 17, 1908, was published in the British Columbia Gazette in the issue of December 17, 1908, is cancelled in so far as the same relates to lands surveyed as the north half and southwest quarter section 9, north half section 10, north half and southeast quarter section 11; sections 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29 and 30, all in Township 19, Range 5, Coast District.

ROBERT A. RENWICK,
Deputy Minister of Lands.
Department of Lands, Victoria,
June 16, 1911.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that an auction sale of lots belonging to the Crown in the Townsite of Quesnel will be held on Monday the 16th day of October next at Quesnel.

All lots will be offered subject to an upset price which will be announced at the sale. The terms of payment which will be one-quarter cash at the sale and the balance in three equal annual instalments with interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum.

Plans of the Townsite may be seen at the Land Office Victoria, and at the office of the Government Agent, Quesnel.

R. A. RENWICK,
Deputy Minister of Lands.
Lands Department,
Victoria, B. C.,
September 5th, 1911.

ENGLISH-FRENCH CAPITAL

CAPITAL FURNISHED for sound American, Canadian and [illegible] enterprises, Mining, Industrial, Timber and Manufacturing [illegible] Railroads [illegible]

Today in the Ready-to-Wear Departments---Women's Steamer Coats at $20 and $25, Neat Serge and Cloth Skirts at $4.75, Misses' and Girls' Dresses at $3.75

Dresses for Misses and Girls at $3.75 Today

In this lot you will find a wide and interesting line of new styles marked at prices that will please the most expectant mother. They are all made from good strong serges and shepherd's checks, in neat, girlish styles, and represent splendid value at the price.

In Shepherd's Checks we are showing some very smart styles, trimmed with bands of satin covered buttons and pipings of satin of a contrasting color. These dresses have a yoke that closely resembles the sailor style, and is finished with a bow of satin. Another style in shepherd's check is finished with accordeon pleated frills that give to the dress a dainty appearance.

Plain Serge Dresses made up in a style that is very similar to a sailor blouse. Has wide pleats on either side, in navy blue with red trimmings. Skirts made in the pleated style.

All these dresses are made in sizes that suit girls from 8 to 14 years old, and will go on sale Friday at **$3.75** each.

Rain Proof Coats for Men and Boys—Prices Worth Investigating

To meet the requirements of the great mass of men who demand a coat that is waterproof and will afford ample protection from severe weather and at the same time to be reasonable in price, we have made a large purchase of coats that we have every reason to believe will creditably fill that demand.

These coats come in greys and fawns, are smart in cut and well tailored, and will prove to be wonderfully durable.

Take special notice of the prices—$15, $10 and **$7.50**.

Youths' Coats, made of high-grade waterproof material, just as well made as our men's coats and the highest possible value for the money. Prices $6.75 and **$5.75**

Currie's Rain Coats—These famous coats are made up in as smart a style as a raincoat can possibly be consistent with the idea of service. They are made in all sizes, in a neat fawn color, at each, $16.50 and **$10.00**

Women's Slip-on and Ulster Coats in Heavy Tweeds

In the Mantle Department on the First Floor, you will find a large and interesting collection of Women's Long Coats, made in a great variety of new and very attractive styles for the coming season's wear. Great interest is being centred in these early productions, and we consider that we are very fortunate at being able to exhibit such a large and varied stock. Perhaps the most interesting items are the new Shaw Collars that come in many attractive varieties, the Single-Breasted Coats with notch collars and full length sleeves with deep turnback cuffs, quite a new and rather mannish style, and the many new styles in Ulsters, particularly suitable for motoring or any outdoor exercise that calls for a very snug garment. See the window displays. Prices $15.00, $20.00 and $25.00

Women's Costumes in Many Attractive Styles at Moderate Prices

There is an unusually large showing of the newest and most Dressy Costumes to be seen in the Mantle Department today, marked at prices that should please every woman, no matter how exacting she may be.

There are beautiful man-tailored costumes that should command the interest of the woman who usually has her suit made to order. The workmanship and finish is so precisely mannish that we doubt whether even a high-grade tailor could beat them, and then the price is away below the tailor's charge.

At more popular prices we are showing some splendid examples of new models that will appeal to all women of good taste. There are suits with semi-tailored coats, with shawl collars, that is so widely different to the models that have been in vogue during the past few years that they have struck a high note of popularity. For workmanship and material we have never handled better at the moderate price of **$25.00**.

A Special in Shirts for Friday's Selling

This is an entirely new lot that has just been unpacked, and is a really fine line of the newest ideas in Tweeds and Plain Cloths. They come in all sizes and a variety of styles, some rather plain and others with panels back and front, and may be had in colors navy, brown, black, and a variety of popular tweed mixtures. All the usual sizes are included in this lot, and the price today is **$4.75**.

Women's Oiled Silk Raincoats With Hoods at $25

These come with the new Raglan sleeves, storm collars, large patch pockets fitted with deep flap and cuffband to fasten tight at the wrist when desired. One of the best features of these coats is the large but light hood that will fold up into such little space, and is so light that it may be carried without the least inconvenience when not in use, and affords ample protection from even the most severe weather when required.

These coats are wonderfully light, are quite transparent and will not stick. They are lined with soft silk and are, without doubt, one of the best raincoats for women.

You can have your choice from colors fawn, green and black, and complete with hoods at **$25.00** each.

Women's Waists in New and Attractive Styles, Special Today $1.25

Linenette Waists, with neat sailor collar trimmed with lace insertion, has patch pocket and three-quarter sleeves finished with large turnback cuffs trimmed with lace insertion. Special today.......... **$1.25**

Plain Tailored Waist, made of crossbar muslin, has patch pocket, detachable linen collar, long sleeves, link cuffs and fastening down front with pearl buttons. Special **$1.25**

Plain Tailored Linenette Waist, with detachable linen collar, long sleeves, laundered cuffs and beautifully embroidered front, fastening down the front through a box plait. Price........................ **$1.25**

Today and Saturday in the Boot and Shoe Department

Some recent large purchases at big price concessions account for these extra special offers. In making these purchases we did not consider price alone, we have our reputation for quality to keep up and we guarantee that every pair is up to the highest possible standard of quality for the price paid.

Men's Bluchers, made of strong black calfskin with medium weight soles. These are fine working or street shoes and will give you perfect satisfaction. Price, per pair........................ **$2.45**

Boys' Boots, made as boys' boots should be, from selected leather, put together in the strongest possible manner. Price **$1.85**

Women's Boots, made of fine Dongola kid, patent tips and dull tops. Special value and very smart in appearance. Per pair...................... **$2.45**

Men's Ties Worth 75c for 50c

This line includes four-in-hand and wide-end Ties in plain colors and fancy stripes, etc., made of pure silk. They are all full length and are really worth 75c each, all to be sold on Friday at, each...... **50¢**

Fall and Winter Underclothing for Men, Women and Children.

Very Moderate Prices Prevail Here

WARMER CLOTHING FOR WOMEN AND CHILDREN

Women's Vests, in cream and natural color, have high neck, long or short sleeves. Drawers to match, in knee or ankle length. Price .... **90¢**

Women's Vests and Drawers—Vests have low neck, short sleeves and open fronts. Drawers to match. Per garment, 50c and .... **50¢**

WOMEN'S COMBINATIONS

Combinations with long sleeves, ankle length. Per garment, $2.25 and.......................... **90¢**

Natural Wool Combinations, ankle length, a splendid quality. Per garment......................... **$2.50**

CHILDREN'S ZENITH UNDERWEAR

Vests and Drawers, in cream and natural. The vests have long sleeves and are buttoned down the front. Price, per garment, 85c down to............. **45¢**

SPECIAL VALUES IN MEN'S UNDERWEAR FOR FRIDAY'S SELLING

Shirts and Drawers, made of natural wool mixture, in all sizes. The shirts are double breasted and are a convenient weight for fall and winter wear. Price, per garment .... **50¢**

Elastic Ribbed Shirts and Drawers, made in a medium weight and in all sizes. Colors natural and tan. These garments are well adapted for the present season's wear and are remarkably low priced. Per garment .... **75¢**

Penman's heavy natural ribbed wool mixture shirts and drawers. These are good heavy garments, the shirts are double breasted and are made in all sizes, at, per garment **$1.00**

Penman's Medium Weight Natural Wool Elastic Ribbed Shirts and Drawers, shirts double breasted, full fashioned and strongly made. All sizes may be had, at per garment **$1.25**

Imported Natural Wool Underwear—This is the famous Robin Hood brand of men's shirts and drawers, made of natural wool, in all sizes, and in a very useful medium weight. For hard wearing qualities this brand is hard to beat, and for comfort and moderate price they are unsurpassed. Per garment— **$1.25**

Blankets and Bedding of Every Description

The cooler weather that is now closing in upon us, suggests warmer bedding. Blankets are one of our strong lines, as a rule, but this year we are stronger than ever and are prepared to supply the demand of all classes from the heavy grey blankets, suitable for the hunter or miner, up to the beautiful fleecy wool blankets that are used only on the beds of the wealthy. Below is a partial list that may prove to be of interest to you.

Grey Blankets, suitable for single camp beds, are very warm and durable. Per pair.............. **$2.25**

Grey Blankets, full double bed size, 7 lbs. in weight. A splendid value at, per pair.............. **$3.50**

Grey Blankets, full double bed size, a very superior quality. Per pair, $5.75, $4.50 and.......... **$4.00**

White Wool Blankets, single bed size. Special value, per pair **$2.75**

White Wool Blankets, double bed size. Per pair— **$3.50**

Pure Wool Blankets, made of good fleecy wool and finished with pink or blue borders. Per pair **$5.75**

Fleece Wool Blankets, guaranteed to be pure and the best possible value for the money. Double bed size. Per pair, $9.50, $8.50 and **$7.50**

Ready-to-use Sheets, size 2x2½, about 100 pairs. Per pair **$1.50**

Hemstitched Sheets, size 2x2½. Per pair... **$2.50**

Aprons, Corset Covers and Night Gowns at Popular Prices

Women's Aprons, made of blue and white dotted prints in the Mother Hubbard style. Price, each.................. **50¢**

Nurses' Aprons, made of good white linen in a variety of styles at prices ranging from $1.50 down to.................. **65¢**

Corset Covers, made of good quality cambric and trimmed with two rows of torchon lace acros sthe front, neck and sleeves neatly finished with frill of lace. All sizes from 32 to 44 inches. Special, per garment.......................... **35¢**

Dainty Corset Covers, neatly trimmed with French and German Val. lace or made of fine allover Swiss embroidery in a variety of dainty styles. Price, per garment ranging from $4.75 down to **$1.25**

Women's Drawers, made of good strong cotton with deep flounce tucked and hemstitched. Price.......................... **25¢**

Women's Night Gowns, made of fine nainsook, the slipover style, with dainty yoke of embroidery trimmed with beading and ribbons. Price, per garment.......................... **$1.15**

Women's Drawers, made of good strong cambric and finished with tucked frill and finished with torchon lace. Price.. **35¢**

Boys Wanted for Delivery Department

Hartz Mountain Canaries, at Each $1.95

Hartz Mountain Canaries, fine singing birds. Worth $5 each. To be sold at, each ... **$1.95**

Wire Cages, in neat designs, all complete with cups. Each $1.45 and **$1.25**

Australian Love Birds are very interesting birds with handsome plumage. Price, each.. **$8.50**

Japanese Finches, young birds that will grow up into fine songsters, and have fine plumage. Price, each **$2.50**

Andersbury Roller Canaries, noted for their beautifully modulated songs. Specially trained for the home. Price, each **$3.75**

David Spencer, Limited

Useful Table Linens

5 O'Clock Tea Cloths, hemstitched ends, embroidered work, 45 x 45 inches, each $1.75 to .... [illegible]

Ready-to-Use Napkins, in many dainty patterns. Per dozen from $4.50 down to .... **$1.[illegible]**

Embroidered and Drawn Squares, in pure Irish Linen, size 36 x 36 inches, from $7.00 down to, each .... [illegible]
Size 45 x 45 inches, from $7.50 down to, each .... [illegible]

BLEACHED TABLE DAMASK

68 inches wide, per yard .... [illegible]
72 inches wide, per yard .... [illegible]
72 inches wide, per yard .... [illegible]
72 inches wide, per yard .... [illegible]
72 inches wide .... [illegible]
Napkins to Match, per dozen .... [illegible]

BLEACHED DAMASK CLOTHS READY [illegible]

Size 2 x 2½, price .... [illegible]
Size 2 x 2½, price .... [illegible]
Size 2 x 3, price .... [illegible]
Size 2 x 3, price .... [illegible]
Size 2 x 3, price .... [illegible]
Embroidery Linen, [illegible]

Boys Wanted [illegible]